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# B. NUGENT & BRO.

## DressGoods

*Entire new fresh stock thrown into this sale at a sacrifice. Every piece of Dress Goods in the house has come in during the present month.*

## READ! READ!

NEW SPRING PLAIDS, Imported Goods

Reduced from 50c to 25c; from 50c to 25c
Reduced from 65c to 35c; from 65c to 65c
Reduced from $1 to 75c; from $1 25 to $1

### New French Cashmeres.

All wool and very newest shades,
Reduced from 75c to 50c; from 65c to 65c
54-inch All-wool Dress Flannel, choice colors, Reduced from 75c to 50c
50-inch All-wool French Ladies' Cloth in newest colorings, . . . Reduced from 85c to 65c
Satin-finished Cashmere Debeige, just landed, Reduced from $1 to 75c
Reduced from $1 15 to 85c

### FRENCH TRICOTS.

The most splendid collection to be found in St. Louis,
Reduced from $ 75 to $ 50
Reduced from 1 00 to 85
Reduced from 1 25 to 1 00
Reduced from 1 50 to 1 25
Reduced from 2 25 to 1 85
Gilbert's All-wool 54-inch Plaid Ladies' Cloth, Reduced from $1 15 to 75c
New Double Fold English Cashmeres, Reduced from 15c to 12½c
Reduced from 20c to 15c
Reduced from 25c to 20c
Reduced from 35c to 25c
Reduced from 50c to 35c
Heavy Corkscrew Suiting, in gray and brown mixtures, . . . . Reduced from 35c to 25c
Brilliant Mohair Brocha, light spring shades, Reduced from 25c to 12½c
36-inch Gray Mixed Skirting, Reduced from 10c to 5c
New Spring Plaids, - Reduced from 10c to 7½c
New English Shoodas, best colors, Reduced from 10c to 7½c
*New English* Cashmeres, spring colors, Reduced from 15c to 10c
New Mohair Debeige, best shades, Reduced from 15c to 10c

## BLACK DRESS GOODS.

*All our Choice, New, Reliable and Well-known Importations thrown into this Sale in Competition with old and Rusty Bankrupt Goods.*

### Come and Get Them.

New English Armures, Reduced from 25c to 12½c
New Diagonal Mohairs, Reduced from 25c to 15c
New Brilliantines, - Reduced from 40c to 25c
New Bradford Cashmeres, Reduced from 35c to 25c
Reduced from 40c to 30c
Reduced from 50c to 35c
Reduced from 60c to 45c
New Momie Crepes, 42-inch all-wool, Reduced from 65c to 45c
New French Coupures, - - 75c, 85c and $1
New English Prunella for Tailor-made Suits, 85c and $1 25
New India Foule Cashmeres, $1, $1 10 and $1 25
New French Cashmeres, just landed, best make in the world, - - Reduced from 65c to 50c
Reduced from 75c to 65c
Reduced from $1 to 85c
Reduced from $1 25 to $1
New Satin Berber, - Reduced from $1 to 85c
Reduced from $1 25 to $1

## SILKS!

Our Great Bargains in Black Silks have never been Equaled.

85c Black Silk - - - - - At 65c this week
$1 Black Silk - - - - - At 75c this week
$1 25 Black Silk - - - - At 85c this week
24-inch Black Silk, splendid quality, wear guaranteed, worth $1 35, - - At $1 this week
24-inch Black Silk, magnificent quality, wear guaranteed, worth $1 75, - At $1 25 this week

All new Spring Colors in the best $1 Silk in America will be open on Monday.

## B. NUGENT & BRO.,

815 to 821 N. Broadway, bet. Franklin Avenue and Union Market.

# Nugents

# GREAT ANTI-BANKRUPT SALE

## GAINS STRENGTH WITH EVERY DAY!

No Diminution in the Quantity or the Quality of the Bargains.
No Diminution in the Numbers or the liberality of the crowds who patronize this great sale.
It is notorious that we are giving better values in every department than can be found in any Bankrupt Sale. We are determined to sustain this reputation, even if every dollar's worth of our New Spring Goods has to be sacrificed in doing it.

## BIG DEAL —IN— BLANKETS

Chance to Buy the Best Goods at Half Price.

We have bought from one of the largest mills in the West their entire production for this season of "SECONDS" in White, Scarlet, Blue and Gray Blankets, amounting to 10,000 POUNDS, or about 2,000 PAIRS. These are goods the wearing qualities of which are NOT INJURED in the LEAST, but that met with accidents from the machinery or otherwise during manufacture, and therefore could not be sold as perfect goods.

Every imperfection has been carefully marked, and will be pointed out to customers by the salesmen. The whites, scarlets and blues are STRICTLY ALL-WOOL, and have been retailed during this season at $1 per pound.

We have marked the entire lot at an average of

## 50c PER POUND!

Or just half the regular price of the goods.

The grays are Union, and the retail price has been all the season at 65c per pound. These we have marked at an average of

## 35c PER POUND!

This Gives You $2 Blankets for $1 00
3 Blankets for 1 50
4 Blankets for 2 00
5 Blankets for 2 50
6 Blankets for 3 00
7 Blankets for 3 50

And of the best quality, Western made. These Blankets are put up so that you can get them singly or in pairs, as you please.

## LACE CURTAINS.

New Importations, just received, and thrown into this sale at the

### FOLLOWING REDUCTIONS.

*Cream Lace Curtains, Tape Bound, French Finish,*

Reduced from - - - - - - $3 00 to $2 00
Reduced from - - - - - - 4 00 to 3 00
Reduced from - - - - - - 5 00 to 3 50
Reduced from - - - - - - 6 00 to 4 00
Reduced from - - - - - - 6 50 to 4 50

40 PIECES NICE QUALITY

## COTTON SCRIM At 10c Yard This Week.

## QUILTS.

3 cases best 10-4 Crochet Quilts, Marseilles pattern, worth $1 25 - - - - - - At 85c
3 cases best 11-4 Crochet Quilts, Marseilles pattern, worth $1 35 - - - - - - At $1

## B. NUGENT & BRO.,

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We announce To-Day the Grand Purchase of the Entire Stock of LADIES' and CHILDREN'S

## HOSIERY, UNDERWEAR AND HANDKERCHIEFS

Of WM. ROBINSON, 908 Olive Street, Formerly Buyer for

## W. H. GUMERSELL & CO., At 50c on the Dollar.

This stock is quite new, and mainly consists of the Finest Qualities of Imported English, French and German Hosiery, in Silk, Lisle Thread, Cotton and Wool. The Stock is complete, in all sizes and colors.

## ROBINSON'S HOSIERY

THIS WEEK AT

## NUGENT'S

ALL FINE GOODS.

SILK HOSIERY.

Ladies' Silk Hose, 75c.....Robinson's price, $1 25
Ladies' Black Spun Silk Hose, ribbed, at $1 Robinson's price $1 50
Ladies' Spun Silk Hose, navy, garnet, cardinal and black at $1 50 a pair, Robinson's price... $2 50
Ladies' Spun Silk Hose, with gusseted white soles, at $1 50 a pair, Robinson's price..... $2 50
Ladies' French Silk Hose, best quality, pure silk, double heels and toes, at $2 75 a pair, Robinson's price $4 00
Misses' and Children's Spun Silk Hose, black and colors, white gusseted soles, at 85c to $1 25, from 4½ to 8½, Robinson's prices, $1 10 to..... $2 05

LISLE THREAD HOSIERY.

Ladies' English Lisle Thread Hose, white gusseted feet, at 50c pair....Robinson's price $1 00
Ladies' French Lisle, Richelieu rib, black and colors, at 75c pair.....Robinson's price, $1 10
Ladies' Fancy Lisle Hose, French boot patterns and vertical stripes, at $1 and $1 25.....Robinson's price, $2 and $2 50
Ladies' English Lisle Hose, silk embroidered, with white gusseted feet, extra length, at $1 10.....Robinson's price, $2

COTTON HOSIERY.

Ladies' 3-Thread Ingrain Hose, with spliced white soles at 25c pair.....Robinson's price, 40c
Ladies' 4-Thread Ingrain Hose, best German make, blacks and colors, at 33½c pair, Robinson's price, 50c
Ladies' English Cotton Hose, with white spliced soles at 50c pair.....Robinson's price, 85c
Ladies' 32-gauge extra fine English Cotton Hose, with white gusseted feet, at 75c Robinson's price, $1 10
Ladies' 36-gauge English Cotton Hose, silk embroidered, white gusseted feet, at 85c. Robinson's price, $1 25
Children's German Ribbed Cotton Hose at 15c pair..... Robinson's price, 35c
Children's German Ribbed Cotton Hose at 25c.....Robinson's price, 50c
Children's French Ribbed Cotton Hose at 25c pair.....Robinson's price, 50c
Misses' French Ribbed Cotton Hose at 35c pair.....Robinson's price, 60c
Misses' French Ribbed Cotton Hose, with double knees, at 35c, 40c and 50c. Robinson's prices, 65c, 75c and 85c
Misses' and Children's fine English Cotton Hose, from 5 to 8½, at 35c to 50c. Robinson's prices, 50c to 85c

SPECIAL BARGAINS IN Embroideries.

No. 1—25 pieces, 2¼ inches wide, worth 10c, At 5c
No. 2—25 pieces, 5 inches wide, worth 25c, At 15c
No. 3—25 pieces, 11 inches wide, worth 60c, At 35c
No. 4—15 pieces, 45 inches wide, worth $1 75, At 95c
No. 5—15 pieces Egyptian Lace, 15 inches wide, worth $1..... At 50c

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## ROBINSON'S UNDERWEAR

THIS WEEK AT

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ALL FINE GOODS.

Ladies' White Merino Union Suits, regular made, at $1 25 and $1 50 a suit. Robinson's prices, $2 and $2 25
Ladies' Super Quality White Merino Vests and Pants, regular made, at 75c..Robinson's price, $1 50
Ladies' fine Merino Vests and Pants at 50c. Robinson's price, 75c
Children's English Merino Vests and Pants, of the celebrated Cartright & Warner's manufacture—
16-inch at 75c .....Robinson's price, $1 25
18-inch at 85c .....Robinson's price, 1 35
20-inch at 90c .....Robinson's price, 1 45
22-inch at $1 05.....Robinson's price, 1 65
Children's White Merino Vests and Pants, American Hosiery Co.'s make, regular made—
16-inch at 65c .....Robinson's price, $1 00
18-inch at 75c .....Robinson's price, 1 10
20-inch at 85c .....Robinson's price, 1 15
22-inch at 95c .....Robinson's price, 1 25
24-inch at $1 05.....Robinson's price, 1 35
Children's Scarlet Vests and Pants—
16-inch at 25c.....Robinson's price, 50c
18-inch at 35c.....Robinson's price, 60c
20-inch at 45c.....Robinson's price, 70c
22-inch at 55c.....Robinson's price, 80c
24-inch at 65c.....Robinson's price, 90c
Children's Union Suits, Shetland Mixed—
20-inch at 75c.....Robinson's price, $1 15
22-inch at 85c.....Robinson's price, 1 25
24-inch at 95c.....Robinson's price, 1 35
26-inch at $1 05.....Robinson's price, 1 45
28-inch at 1 15.....Robinson's price, 1 65
Children's White Merino Union suits, regular made, American Hosiery Co.'s make—
22-inch at $1 25.....Robinson's price, $2 00
24-inch at 1 35.....Robinson's price, 2 25
26-inch at 1 45.....Robinson's price, 2 50
28-inch at 1 55.....Robinson's price, 2 75

## CASSIMERES.

25 pcs very nice All-Wool Cassimeres for boys' wear, worth 85c.....At 65c
15 pcs fine All-Wool Cassimeres for boys' wear, worth $1.....At 75c
20 pcs very finest All-Wool Cassimeres, new spring styles, worth $1 25.....At $1

## GINGHAMS.

On Monday we will show a full new assortment of Anderson's celebrated SCOTCH GINGHAMS.
On Monday we will show a full assortment finest imported FRENCH ZEPHYRS.
On Monday we will show a full assortment of latest styles in ENGLISH PENANG SHIRTINGS

## SPECIAL BARGAINS.

100 pcs American yard-wide extra fine Satines: Reduced from 25c to 12½c
75 pcs yard-wide Shirting Percale, Reduced from 12½c to 8½c
500 pcs newest styles Canton Ginghams, Reduced from 12½c to 10c
160 pcs Zepuyr Ginghams, Reduced from 12½c to 6½c
200 pcs Staple and Fancy Checked Ginghams, Reduced from 8½c to 5c
10 cases Standard Prints, dress styles, at 3c
5 cases Merrimack Shirting Prints, Reduced from 7½c to 5c
200 pcs WINDSOR FOULARDS, COCHECO FOULARDS and PACIFIC CRETONNES, new goods just in.....Reduced from 12½c to 10c
50 pcs yard-wide Indigo Percales, Reduced from 20c to 15c

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## ROBINSON'S H'D'K'FS

THIS WEEK AT

## NUGENT'S

ALL FINE GOODS.

Ladies' fine All-Linen Hemstitched, with handsome hand-worked initial, at 25c; Robinson's price, 50c
Ladies' Beautiful Hand-embroidered, Scalloped and Hemstitched Borders, white and colored, all at 35c each....Robinson's price, 75c and $1 00
Ladies' Hemstitched and Colored Borders, all Linen, at 10c each.....Robinson's Price, 20c

## GENTS'

## China Silk Handkerchiefs,

BEST QUALITY HEMSTITCHED.

22-inch at 35c.....Worth 50c
24-inch at 50c.....Worth 75c
Printed Borders at 50c.....Worth 85c

## CLOAKS.

Rather than carry any over, we have made further deep cuts into the prices, in order to close all out this week if possible.

Stylish Short Dolmans, in Silk and Matelasse, former price $25 to $35 ..... Now at $12 50
Cloth Newmarkets, in blank and in colors, former price $10.....Now for $5 00
Plaid Stockinette Newmarkets, perfect and easy fitting, former price $20.....Now for $5 00
Cloth Russian Circulars, former prices $10 and $12 50.....Now at $5 and $6 50
Silk Plush Sacques, former price $20; Now at $10 00
Brocade Velvet Newmarkets, very rich and handsome, former price $62 50....Now at $25 00

## JERSEYS.

All-Wool Worsted Jerseys, with plait and bow in back, former price $2 50.....Now at $1 25
Braided Jerseys, former price $3 50....Now at $1 25
Tailor-Made Jerseys, special bargain, with full coat back, turn-down collar and cuffs, formerly $4.....Now at $2 50

## SHAWLS.

Special Prices Made this Week to Close Out All Winter Goods.

Imported Beaver Shawls, formerly $3 50; Now at $1 25
Reversible Paisley Square Shawls, former price $5.....Now at $2 00
Black Cashmere Square Shawls, all wool; Reduced to $1 50
All-Wool Long Shawls, former price $5; Now at $3 50

## B. NUGENT & BRO.,

815, 817, 819 and 821 N. Broadway, bet. Franklin Av. and Union Market.

## Ladies' Muslin UNDERWEAR.

New, Fresh, First-Class Goods,

### ALL REDUCED!

CHEMISE.

Pointed front, well made, soft Muslin, 3 rows Hamburg Inserting, down front and around neck and sleeves, Reduced from 65c to 35c
Chemise, splendid Muslin, well made, pointed front, 3 rows Lace Inserting, Lace-edge neck and sleeves, Reduced from 75c to 42c
Chemise, extra quality Muslin, double rows Inserting, and double row Hamburg Edging down front, Reduced from 85c to 65c
French Sacque Chemise, solid yoke of embroidery, very elegant, Reduced from $1 to 65c

DRAWERS.

Soft Muslin, well made, wide hem and tucks Reduced from 35c to 18c
Very fine Muslin, with deep Hamburg ruffle Reduced from 75c to 35c
Very fine Muslin, 7 tucks, wide cambric ruffle, tucked.....Reduced from 75c to 45c
Very fine Muslin, deep Hamburg ruffle, tucks above..... Reduced from $1 to 65c

NIGHTGOWNS.

Good Muslin, Hamburg Edging neck and sleeves, pearl buttons.....Reduced from 75c to 40c
Nightgowns, good Muslin, tucked front, double row lace neck and sleeves, Reduced from 75c to 45c
Wide tucked front, double row Hamburg Embroidery neck and sleeves, Reduced from 85c to 60c
Splendid Mother Hubbard Gown, tucked yoke, Hamburg Edging neck and sleeves, Reduced from $1 to 65c

SKIRTS.

Good Muslin, well made, with deep hem and tucks above.....Reduced from 35c to 20c
Skirts with Cambric ruffle, with tucks in and above ruffle.....Reduced from 65c to 35c
Skirts with wide Hamburg ruffle, tucks above, and good Muslin.....Reduced from 75c to 50c
Skirts with deep Hamburg ruffle, wide tucks above.....Reduced from $1 to 65c
10-inch Hamburg ruffle, with 10 wide tucks above.....Reduced from $1 50 to $1

CORSET COVERS.

Nice Corset Covers, perfect fitting, Reduced from 25c to 15c
Fine Cambric Corset Covers, perfect fitting, Reduced from 50c to 25c
Corset Covers, low neck, deep lace edge, Reduced from 75c to 50c
Corset Covers, Pompadour wide lace ruffle, Reduced from 85c to 50c
Corset Covers, low neck, inserting and Hamburg edge.....Reduced from $1 to 75c

INFANTS' LONG SLIPS.

Ruffle at neck and sleeves, fine Cambric, Reduced from 50c to 35c
Hamburg neck and sleeves, plaited front, Reduced from 75c to 45c
3 insertings and Hamburg down front, Hamburg neck and sleeves, Reduced from $1 to 50c
Pointed yoke tucks down front, Hamburg neck and sleeves.....Reduced from $1 to 65c
Solid yoke Hamburg edging neck and sleeves, Reduced from $1 25 to 75c

INFANTS' ROBES.

One yoke inserting, 2 wide plaits down front, deep Hamburg ruffle, Hamburg neck and sleeves.....Reduced from $1 50 to $1 15
With 2 rows inserting down front, deep Hamburg ruffle down front, neck and sleeves, Reduced from $2 to $1 35

INFANTS' LONG SKIRTS.

French Cambric, deep hem, with tucks above, Reduced from 75c to 50c
French Cambric, deep Cambric ruffle, Reduced from $1 to 65c
With deep Hamburg ruffle and tucks above, Reduced from $1 25 to 75c

Infants' Flannel Skirts, Embroidered, $1, $2, $2 50, $3 and $3 50

Short Slips, 65c, 75c, 85c, $1 and $1 25

CORSETS.

50-Cent Corset, handsomely embroidered, double busk side steels, 5 hooks, worth 75c.
$1 00 Corset, finest English Sateen, beautifully embroidered, worth $1 50
At 95c, the "Perfect Contour," fine Coutille worth $1 25
"Sensible Side" Corset.....At 75c; worth $1 00

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## WHITE GOODS

Largest and most complete White Goods Department in the City.

Our entire importation of New White Goods, amounting to over $25,000 00, and including the Finest, the Newest, the Richest, the Rarest Goods known to the trade, will be thrown in this sale

### At Sacrifice Prices.

Now is the time to buy while the following REDUCED PRICES prevail:

INDIA MULL, silk finished, in White and in Cream,
Reduced.....From 35c to 25c; from 50c to 35c
Reduced.....From 60c to 40c; from 75c to 50c
REAL SILK MULL,
Reduced.....From $1 50 to $1; from $1 75 to $1 25
CLIPPED INDIA MULL, novelty this season,
Reduced.....From 75c to 50c; from 50c to 35c
LENO BROCHE, with revered checks, entire novelty this season,
Reduced.....From 50c to 35c
INDIA LINEN, with revered checks, great novelty,
Reduced.....From 65c to 40c
SATIN PLAID PERSIAN LAWN, an exceedingly delicate fabric,
Reduced.....From 40c to 25c; from 50c to 35c
INDIA LINEN BROCADE, satin plaids,
Reduced.....From 35c to 25c; from 50c to 35c
PERSIAN LAWN, with Indian dimity brocade plaids,
Reduced.....From 65c to 45c
LENO STRIPE BROCADE NAINSOOK,
Reduced.....From 50c to 35c
LENO STRIPE SATIN NAINSOOK,
Reduced.....From 40c to 25c
SATIN LACE CHECK NAINSOOK,
Reduced.....From 35c to 20c
INDIA LINEN PLAIDS,
Reduced.....From 20c to 15c
REAL IRISH LINEN LAWNS, full 36 inches wide,
Reduced.....From 50c to 35c; from 60c to 40c
Reduced.....From 65c to 45c; from 75c to 50c
Reduced.....From 80c to 60c; from 85c to 65c
Reduced.....From $1 to 75c; from $1 25 to 85c
Reduced.....From $1 50 to $1
LACE TUCKING, imported,
Reduced.....From 75c to 50c; from 85c to 65c
Reduced.....From $1 to 75c; from $1 25 to $1
ALLICIENNE PUFFING,
Reduced.....From 75c to 50c
WHITE TERRY,
Reduced.....From 50c to 35c; from 60c to 40c
Reduced.....From 75c to 50c, from 85c to 65c
FRENCH WELT PIQUE, checked, entire novelty,
Reduced.....From 75c to 50c
INDIA LINEN,
Reduced.....From 10c to 7½c; from 20c to 12½c
Reduced.....From 25c to 15c; from 30c to 20c
Reduced.....From 35c to 25c; from 40c to 30c
Reduced.....From 50c to 35c; from 60c to 40c
Reduced.....From 75c to 50c
VICTORIA LAWN,
Reduced from 15c to 10c; from 20c to 12½c
Reduced from 20c to 12½c; from 25c to 15c
Reduced from 30c to 20c; from 35c to 25c
Reduced from 40c to 30c; from 50c to 35c
Reduced from 60c to 40c; from 75c to 50c
HEAVY NAINSOOK,
At.....15c, 20c, 25c, 30c, 35c, 40c and 50c
SHEER NAINSOOK,
At.....15c, 20c, 25c, 30c, 35c, 40c, 50c and 60c
CHECKED NAINSOOK,
At.....7½c, 10c, 12½c, 15c, 20c, 25c, 35c, 40c.
5 cases GOOD CHECKED NAINSOOK, worth 8½c, for 5c a yard this week.

### White Embroidered Robes,

Fresh New Goods and elegant patterns, all to be sacrificed in this sale.
$6 50 Robes for $4 50. $7 50 Robes for $5 00.
$8 50 Robes for $6 50. $10 00 Robes for $7 50.
$12 50 Robes for $8 50.
PIANO COVERS, embroidered, great bargain; 200 full size Piano Covers, all green, worth $6 50, Will be sold.....At $3 50.

### Crash.

All-Linen, reduced.....From 7½c to 5c
All-Linen Scotch Russia, Reduced from 8½c to 6½c
All-Linen 18-inch Brown Crash, Reduced from 10c to 7½c
All-Linen Scotch Russia, Reduced from 10c to 8½c
All-Linen Twilled Barnsley, Reduced from 12½c to 10c
All-Linen Scotch Damask, Reduced from 15c to 10c
All-Linen extra quality Barnsley Twill, Reduced from 15c to 12½c
Glass Toweling, Reduced from 8½c to 6½c
Glass Toweling.....Reduced from 12½c to 10c
Glass Toweling.....Reduced from 15c to 12½c
All-Linen Stair Drill, Reduced from 15c to 12½c
All-Linen Stair Drill, Reduced from 20c to 15c

### Towels.

Pure Linen Glass Towels, Reduced from $1 50 to $1 per doz
Glass Towels.....Reduced from 20c to 10c
Damask Towels, splendid quality,
Reduced.....from 15c to 10c; from 20c to 12½c
Reduced.....from 20c to 15c; from 25c to 20c
Reduced.....from 35c to 25c
HUCK TOWELS, extra large, all linen, soft finish,
Reduced.....from 20c to 12½c; from 25c to 15c
Reduced.....from 30c to 20; from 40c to 25c
FANCY EMBROIDERED CENTER TOWELS,
Reduced.....from 40c to 25c
EXTRA FINE AND LARGE HUCK TOWELS,
Reduced.....from 65c to 35c
EXTRA FINE BLEACHED, soft finished, embroidered ends,
Reduced.....from 50c to 35c

### Napkins.

Reduced.....From $1 to 75c; from $1 25 to $1 00
Reduced.....From $1 50 to $1 25; from $2 to $1 50
Reduced.....From $2 50 to $2; from $3 to $2 50
Reduced.....From $4 50 to $3

### Table Linen.

Reduced.....From 40c to 25c; from 50c to 35c
Reduced.....From 60c to 40c; from 75c to 50c
Reduced.....From 85c to 65c; from $ to 75c
Reduced.....From $1 15 to 85c; from $1 25 to $1
Reduced.....From $2 50 to $1 50
TURKEY RED DAMASK,
Reduced.....From 40c to 25c; from 50c to 40c
Reduced.....From 65c to 50c; from 85c to 65c
Reduced.....From $1 to 75c
FANCY CARDINAL,
Reduced.....From $1 to 65c

### Irish Linen Sets,

Fine Double Damask Cloth and Napkins to match
Reduced.....From $6 50 to $5; from $10 to $8 50
Reduced.....From $12 50 to $7 50; from $15 50 to $8 50
Reduced.....From $15 to $9 50; from $20 to $12 50
Reduced.....From $30 to $

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# LATEST EDITION.

## GOT NEW LIFE.

### The River and Harbor Bill Comes to the Front.

**Randall's Appropriation Bills Laid Aside—Legislative Bills Receiving Needed Attention—The Indian Reservation Purchase Bill Passed—Lamar's Friends Frightened.**

**The Congo and German Importation.**

WASHINGTON, D. C., February 24.—At the meeting of the House Committee on Foreign Affairs, Representative Lefevre's resolution relating to the restriction upon importation of American products by Germany was referred to a sub-committee consisting of Representatives Eaton and Hitts. The Congo resolutions were also considered. Belmont submitted a long report on the subject. He held that the action of this Government in appointing delegates to participate in the Congo Conference was a departure from the Monroe doctrine and should be received with disfavor. No action was taken upon the report and it is doubtful whether it will be adopted.

**Hoadley Mentioned.**

*By Telegraph to the Post-Dispatch.*

WASHINGTON, D. C., February 24.—It is reported here to-day that a letter has been received from Hoadley stating that he has information from Tilden that the name of Hoadley is included in a list of fourteen names from which the final selection of the Cabinet is to be made. Barnum and Scott, who have been here of late, hoot at the idea of Thurman going into the Cabinet. They say he is too old, his money record is inconsistent, and his general course not satisfactory to himself or the interests of the country. His friends are still confident.

**The River Bill Men Aroused.**

*By Telegraph to the Post-Dispatch.*

WASHINGTON, D. C., February 24.—The friends of the river and harbor bill mustered in force to-day and defeated ex-Speaker Randall's motion to proceed with the consideration of the regular appropriation bills, the vote being, ayes 122, noes 139. It is thought that this action of the House will precipitate an extra session of Congress, as the river and harbor people say they will pass their bill before anything else is done.

**Lamar and Garland.**

*By Telegraph to the Post-Dispatch.*

WASHINGTON, D. C., February 24.—The friends of Lamar are fighting Garland viciously for the reason that they say two Cabinet officers ought not to be taken from adjacent Southern States. This is said to be at the bottom of the visit of Mr. Lamar to Albany at this time, and with a view to bolstering his candidacy. Arkansas and Mississippi are too close, say Lamar's friends, and if the South is to have two Cabinet places, let one of these States be represented, and another and different section, say the extreme South or Virginia.

**The Pension Investigation.**

WASHINGTON, D. C., February 24.—Mr. Brock of the Pension Office, having in charge the book containing the leaves of absence granted employes testified before the Warner committee to-day that about twenty-two clerks were absent at election time from two to thirteen days with pay. Their annual leave of thirty days had previously been taken. The absence, he said, had been granted by Assistant Secretary of the Interior Joslyn.

**The Hennepin Canal Dead.**

*By Telegraph to the Post-Dispatch.*

WASHINGTON, D. C., February 24.—The House, by a vote of 100 to 95, voted to sustain the decision of the chairman of committee of the whole, by which the Hennepin Canal clause was ruled out of the river and harbor bill. This is a death blow to the Hennepin Canal, so far as this Congress goes.

**Favors the Des Moines River Bill.**

WASHINGTON, D. C., February 24.—The House Committee on public lands decided to favorably report the Des Moines River bill, which passed the Senate yesterday.

**XLVIIITH CONGRESS.**

**Senate.**

WASHINGTON, D. C., February 24.—The Chair laid before the Senate a memorial from the Legislature of Wisconsin, urging the placing of Gen. Grant on the retired list of the army.

Senator Hoar, from the Committee on Privileges and Elections, submitted a written report regarding the dual sets of credentials of Senator Allison's election. The substance of the report, Senator Hoar said, was that, as Allison appears to be elected in either event, it was not profitable to inquire whether a legal election was that which took place the second Tuesday after the temporary organization of the Legislature on the second Tuesday after the permanent organization, and if it were necessary to determine that question, it was for the Forty-ninth and Forty-eight Congresses to determine. Senator Hoar added that, of course, there was no doubt whatever of Senator Allison's election.

Senator Cullom presented a memorial from the Legislature of Illinois, urging some early and satisfactory settlement of the Oklahoma question.

Senator Dawes said if the newspapers that had published so many articles favoring the immediate opening of these lands to settlement would publish the true state of the case, it would tend greatly to public peace. If the editors of such papers would examine the question they would be convinced that, under the existing treaties, it was impossible to open such lands to settlement in the present state of the title.

Senator Plumb said that whatever title the Indians may have remaining in the lands in question, it was one that could only find expression in money. It was not a title that the Indians could avail themselves of.

Senator Dawes believed that it was such remarks as those of Senator Plumb that had led people to go to Oklahoma.

Senator Cullom thought if there was so much difference of opinion in the Senate about the status of the lands in question, the people in Illinois might well be excused if they did not quite understand how the matter stood.

Senator Dawes asked unanimous consent to at once take up the bill heretofore introduced by him to authorize the President to negotiate for the purchase of the remaining rights of the Seminole, Creek and Cherokee nations of Indians to those lands.

Senator Sherman thought the bill should better be considered at the regular time.

Senator Dawes said the regular time would never come. Unanimous consent was given to take up the bill, and in less than five minutes it was read and passed. It now goes to the House for the action of that body.

Senator Jones of Nevada, from the Committee on Contingent Expenses, reported favorably the resolution to pay ex-Senator Spencer, of Alabama, the amount of his disbursements in maintaining his right to a seat in the Senate.

The naval appropriation bill was laid before the Senate and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Senator Mitchell moved to take up the first pension bill on the calendar. Agreed to. Yeas, 33; nays, 22.

**The House.**

WASHINGTON, D. C., February 24.—Immediately after the reading of the journal the House proceeded to the consideration of business under the special rule.

Mr. Buckner called up the Senate bill authorizing the Commercial National Bank of Chicago to increase its capital stock to $2,000,000. In opposing the bill, Mr. Weller of Iowa attacked the National banking system, declaring it was the duty of every patriot to strike it a death-blow. The bill passed.

On motion of Mr. George the bill passed for the allotment of lands in severalty to the Indians on Umatilla Indian Reservation.

On motion, Brent's bill was passed, appropriating [illegible] 000 for the erection of a public building at Port [illegible]asbend, Washington Territory.

[illegible] motion of Mr. Lowry the Senate bill was [illegible], increasing to $175,000 the limit of appropria[illegible] the public building at Fort Wayne, Ind., and the present appropriation [illegible]. [illegible] conflict between the Appropriations and the River and Harbor Committees then took place, and resulted in a victory for the latter committee. A motion made by Mr. Randall to proceed to the consideration of the deficiency bill being defeated, yeas 122; nays 139, the House went into committee of the whole (Mr. Hammond in the chair) on the river and harbor bill, the pending question being an appeal from the decision of the Chair ruling out the Hennepin canal clause on a point of order.

After discussion by Mr. Henderson of Illinois, Springer and Stone, in support of the appeal, and by Turner of Georgia against the decision, the Chair was sustained 101 to 95. So the clause is eliminated from the bill.

The bill passed and a motion prevailed to take up in their order all the pension bills favorably reported, and they were accordingly proceeded with.

## THE DEMOCRATS DIDN'T VOTE.

### Another Ballot for Senator in the Illinois Legislature To-Day.

*By Telegraph to the Post-Dispatch.*

SPRINGFIELD, ILL., February 24.—In executive session to-day the Senate confirmed nearly all of Governor Hamilton's appointments made since the session of the Thirty-third General Assembly. Messrs. John O'Neill of Cook, R. D. Lawrence and John Cook of Sangamon, appointed by Governor Hamilton during the last month of his term as Commissioners to complete the State House, were defeated, none of them receiving more than six affirmative votes. The opposition of both Democrats and Republicans was due to the feeling that Governor Oglesby should have the privilege of making appointments for which his administration will be responsible. Governor Oglesby made the following appointments to-day: Newton Bateman of Knox, to be his own successor on the State Board of Health; Benson Wood of Effingham, to succeed E. Callahan, resigned as trustee of the Asylum for Feeble Minded Children at Lincoln; E. D. Blinn of Logan, as his own successor on the same board; E. J. Ingersoll of Jackson, to succeed James Roberts, term expired, and Samuel R. Wheeler of Alexander, to succeed Cicero N. Hughes, term expired, as trustees of the Southern Illinois Normal University. The communication was read in the Senate and placed on file.

Senator Whiting introduced bills taxing telegraph companies 2 per cent and express companies 1 per cent of their gross receipts annually.

All the morning was used up in an attempt by the Democrats to defeat the election of Bailey Dawson, a "needy" Republican, as an assistant clerk. It was known that Speaker Haines would vote with the Republicans and prevent the breaking of a quorum. Owing to the absence of one Republican, the Democrats were able to hold off the matter for an hour, by breaking a quorum, when Campbell of Hamilton voted with Haines and the Republicans, and Dawson was elected. A great row resulted on the Democratic side, and some of the Chicago kickers threatened to have revenge. An attempt to reconsider the vote did not carry, and the session ended in a broken quorum.

Campbell explains his vote as the fulfillment of a promise to Sittig to help him in return for the vote by which MacMillan helped to save Wilbanks by adjourning for a day, which gave time to get the Independent, O'Donnell, in line, when the Democratic officers were elected. Haines announced his committees and there was much disappointment resultant. The country Democrats are kicking and threaten to have revenge on some of Haines' clerks and janitors. They claim that Campbell's vote for Dawson was bought by Haines for the chairmanship of the Insurance Committee. An "investigation" of Haines' appointments will begin to-morrow under direction of Browning of Franklin.

Bridges was brought back to the city from his home, where he went Saturday, but was not taken into the joint assembly. Schimway was absent because of sickness, and McClung had gone to Peoria to attend a labor meeting, leaving the Democratic side short of three votes. The Republicans were all present and all voted for Logan (101), except Sittig, who again voted for Washburne. None of the Democrats voted.

## ANNUAL RAILROAD MEETING.

### Gathering of the Magnates of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western.

NEW YORK, February 24.—The annual meeting of the Delaware and Lackawanna and Western Railroad Company was held to-day and the old officers and board of directors were re-elected, with the exception of W. H. Appleton in place of Abram Vanness. The total shares voted were 268,000. The annual statement gives the gross earnings for 1884 at $31,311,992; operating expenses, $23,008,147; net earnings, $8,333,845; rentals, interests, etc.; $5,113,322; balance, $3,190,523. There was expended during the year for new additional equipment and track, chargeable to construction, $385,033; leaving as net profits for the year $2,805,491, equal to 10 7-10 per cent on capital of $26,200,000. The balance sheet shows a reduction in advances to leased lines of $134,532; increases in advances on coal to be delivered of $116,306; decrease on coal bills due of $35,387; decrease in assets of the New York, Lackawanna and Western held by company of $309,700; increase in loans and sundry accounts receiptable, $494,167; decrease in all stocks and bonds held by the company of $1,054,139, and a decrease in cash on hand of $338,474. The value of the stock of coal on hand shows an increase of $600,228. The current indebtedness has been reduced $163,948, and the surplus account is now $11,032,065, an increase of $709,490.

The following are the elected directors: J. J. Blair, George Bliss, Percy R. Pyne, Wm. Walter Phelps, Wilson G. Hunt, Elias S. Higgins, Benjamin G. Clarke, Jay Gould, Sidney Dillon, Russell Sage, Edgar S. Auchincloss, Andrew T. McClintock, Gardner R. Colby and W. P. Appleton. Samuel Sloan was re-elected president, Frederick F. Chambers secretary and Frederick H. Gibbons, treasurer.

## MRS. HENDRICKS' AMBITION.

### Her Husband Writes to Cleveland Regarding Certain Publications.

INDIANAPOLIS, IND., February 24.—Governor Hendricks and wife having been much annoyed at the recent appearance in several newspapers of what purported to be a picture of Mrs. Hendricks, accompanied by flippant reference to her supposed ambitions, the Vice-President-elect telegraphed the following letter to Mr. Cleveland last night:

"INDIANAPOLIS, February 23, 1885.

"Hon. Grover Cleveland, President-elect:

"MY DEAR SIR—Mrs. Hendricks and I have been much annoyed by the publications in some of the newspapers of a picture somewhat resembling her, and an article in bad taste, attributing to her an ambition quite absurd. I need not say that the publication was without our knowledge, and that to no persons can it be so offensive as to ourselves. I understand that such pictures and articles are prepared in New York and furnished to subscribing newspapers for a small price. We trust that it will not be an annoyance to yourself or the ladies of your family. With great respect, T. A. HENDRICKS."

## THE SUNDAY EVIL QUESTION.

### A New Political Movement Born in New York.

NEW YORK, February 24.—A new political movement which aims at the correction of the Sunday evil of both the principal parties of this State was inaugurated at a meeting held here to-day. The meeting was organized as the Independent Citizens' Association of the State of New York, and the question under discussion was how to bring together the different independent political organizations of the different parts of the State, so that all may work as a unit towards nominating and electing the best men to office. They especially urged the co-operation of the forces which acted when Mayor Low of Brooklyn and Mayor Grace of New York were elected, and besought that the principles then enunciated be carried out.

## SICK OF THE SLUGGER.

### Mrs. Annie L. Sullivan Sues for a Divorce and Alimony.

BOSTON, MASS., February 24.—Mrs. Annie L. Sullivan, wife of John L. Sullivan, the champion pugilist, has begun suit for divorce on the ground of cruel and abusive treatment, and gross and confirmed habits of intoxication. Mrs. Sullivan desires the custody of her child, John L. Sullivan, jr., and asks that Sullivan's property to the extent of $20,000 be attached to secure the support of herself and child.

**An Old Engineer Run Over.**

CLEVELAND, OHIO, February 24.—Charles D. Paddock, one of the oldest engineers on the New York, Pennsylvania and Ohio Railroad, slipped and fell beneath the wheels of his engine to-day at Mahoning Station. Both legs were cut off and Paddock will probably die.

**Crazed by the Election.**

READING, PA., February 24.—John Barkel, an iron miner of Boyertown, became insane over the result of the Presidential election. He was taken to the County Insane Asylum, where he is trying to starve himself to death. He has not taken food for nine days.

**A Carpet House Caves In.**

LOWELL, MASS., February 24.—At noon a part of the dye house of the Carpet Corporation fell in, the wall giving way. No one was in the building.

## STILL IN DANGER.

### The Latest Movements of the British Troops in Soudan.

**Gen. Davis Arrives at Suakim—Brackenbury to Reach Abu Hamed To-Morrow—Gordon's Account of His Battles—The English Naval Estimates—The Spanish Budget—European Echoes.**

KORTI, February 24.—General Brackenbury expects to reach Abu Hamed to-morrow.

DAVIS AT SUAKIM.

SUAKIM, February 24.—General Davis with 200 troops arrived to-day.

A WELCOME EVENT.

The arrival of General Brackenbury's column at Abu Hamed will be a welcome event for the British, since there will then, for a few weeks at least, be a passable line of communication with Korosko, above the second cataract. This line is 235 miles long, and there is only one point at which the water is found, but steps will doubtless be taken to forward stores of water to El Murad in advance, and by forced camel marches the distance can be covered in nine days. At best, this line will be an indifferent one, but anything is preferable to the isolation of the past several days.

THE QUEEN AND MISS GORDON.

The Queen has sent an autograph to Miss Gordon, sister of Gen. Gordon, expressing her Majesty's sympathy with the lady in her bereavement by the loss of her heroic brother.

GORDON'S BATTLES.

The papers continue to publish extracts from the telegrams and letters of Gen. Gordon as they appear in the "blue book" on Egypt. One of these letters, dated December 4, 1884, recounts many incidents of the siege and has the following narratives:

"Once the river rose, we drove off the Arabs in four fights; we fired their towns; we sent two expeditions to Sennaar; we had a fight September 4; we were defeated with heavy loss, our square getting always broken. It has been quiet since. We fired 3,000,000 rounds in these different fights. The Arab Krupp guns often hulled our steamers. We have lost three steamers and built two. All the captives with the Mahdi are well. Slatin Bey is well treated, but is kept in chains. The nuns among the captives ostensibly married Greeks in the party, in order to save themselves from being compelled to marry the Arabs. There is a mysterious Frenchman from Dongola with the Mahdi. Don't let the Egyptian soldiers come and take direct command of the steamers at Metemneh and turn out the fellaheen."

TOO HOT FOR THEM.

TORONTO, February 24.—The Globe London special says that the refusal of the Government to accept the offer of Canadian troops for the Soudan is attributed to the folly of sending colonial troops to Soudan to spend the hot season there.

**The Dominion.**

A DYNAMITE CARTRIDGE.

OTTAWA, February 24.—A dynamite cartridge was picked up last evening on the stairway of the Post Office.

THE UNITED STATES' DEMAND.

OTTAWA, February 24.—The American authorities have asked for the release of prisoners taken by the United States officers to Saulte Ste. Marie, last summer, and lodged in jail on the charge of rioting at Mahipioton. It appears that the prisoners were not arrested till they reached Canadian territory, and they came voluntarily to Saulte Ste. Marie with the Sheriff of the county in Michigan opposite that place. They were arrested on Canadian soil and convicted. The opinion of the Department of Justice is that the prisoners should not be given up.

CANADIAN PACIFIC AGREEMENT.

TORONTO, February 24.—A special from Victoria, B. C., says: "The local Legislature, 16 to 7, ratified the agreement entered into between the Government and the Canadian Pacific Railway Company where by the latter agree to locate the terminus of the railway at Coal Harbor on consideration of receiving a land grant of 6,000 acres from the Government.

ENTERTAINING A PUGILIST.

TORONTO, February 24.—Charley Mitchell, the pugilist, at the request of the Lieutenant Governor, called at the Government House to-day and spent a pleasant hour. Several prominent citizens were present. Harry Gilmore has covered Geo. Fullyjame's forfeit for a match for the light-weight championship of Canada. Mitchell and Scholes will probably give an exhibition in Montreal, Ottawa and London before the former's return to New York.

WANT TO EXTRADITE A MURDERER.

Applications were made to-day for the extradition of Oscar F. Beckwith, arrested at Barry Sound, on the charge of murder at Austerlitz, Columbia County, N. Y.

AGAINST CHINESE IMMIGRATION.

OTTAWA, February 24.—The Toronto Trades' Union has petitioned Parliament for the prohibition of Chinese immigration.

**Central America.**

TROUBLES IN PANAMA.

PANAMA, February 24.—There is no news from the interior of a reliable nature respecting the fighting which is believed to have taken place. The rebels continue in possession of the Atlantic and Pacific coasts. Trouble is certain to occur on the Istmus directly, if the rebels win any decisive victory in the interior. Between 600 and 700 troops are shut up in the barracks, and the President, too, sleeps in the barracks.

THE SANTOS OUTRAGE.

The Wachusetts, now on the Gaayaquil River, has been ordered by cable to inquire into the outrages experienced by a citizen of the United States at the hands of Santos. The Consul of the United States at first asked that he be at once placed on trial, but the Bahia military authorities paid no attention to this action, declaring they considered Santos an Ecuadorian. The Consul then received orders from Washington to demand the immediate release of the prisoner and this has been officially done without answer having been received up to the latest dates from Bahia.

GEN. VILA'S MOVEMENTS.

President Santo Domingo Vila will leave in a few days for the seat of military operations now in course of progress. Dr. Pablo Arozma, first Vice-President, will occupy the Chief Magistracy during the absence of General Vila.

**England.**

THE NAVAL ESTIMATES.

LONDON, February 24.—The navy estimates for 1886 are £12,396,500. This is intended to meet the ordinary expenses and provide for the construction of seventy-three new vessels, including eleven ironclads.

DISTILLERY BURNED.

A dispatch from Aberdeen reports the burning of the Bon Accord distillery. The stores and spirits were saved.

LOST AT SEA.

The steamer Allegheny, from Cardiff for Galle, was lost. The crew of thirty persons were drowned.

HOW THE CARLETON CLUB FEELS.

At a meeting of the Carleton Club, this afternoon, it was unanimously resolved that the feeling of the club favored the assumption of office by the Conservatives in the event of the Government's defeat on the pending vote of censure.

**South America.**

A BLOODY BATTLE.

PANAMA, February 24.—A sanguinary engagement has taken place in the Jauca Valley, Peru, between four companies of Government troops and 2,000 Indians of Monteneros. The latter were defeated, leaving 300 dead on the field.

A PREFECT MURDERED.

The sub-prefect of Barboza, of the Province Otuzco was assassinated in his residence by a relation of a man forced to become a soldier.

IMPORTANT CAPTURES.

In the report of the Chilian Minister of War be states that during the war 150 canons and 25 machine guns were captured, which are now all ready for service.

**France.**

HOUSE FOR QUEEN VICTORIA.

AIX LE BAINES, February 24.—A house has been engaged here for occupation by Queen Victoria in the latter part of April.

STATUE OF A GREAT FRENCH JURIST.

PARIS, February 24.—The statue of Alexandre Auguste Ledru Rollin, the great advocate and jurist, was unveiled to-day before an immense throng of distinguished people. The proportion of Deputies and Senators among the spectators was large, and several Ministers of State were also present. In the dedicatory address Dedru Rollin was eulogized as "the father of universal suffrage."

**Spain.**

THE SPANISH BUDGET.

MADRID, February 24.—It is expected the Spanish budget will show a deficit of 62,000,000 pesetas, or about $12,000,000. The acceptance of the modus vivendi with England, on the question of wine duties, will be made a Cabinet question.

**Switzerland.**

A POOR HOUSE BURNED.

BERNE, February 24.—The Poor House at Wohler, in the Canton of Aargan, burned last night. Six persons perished.

## THE FAMOUS MEXICAN BAND.

### The Management of the St. Louis Exposition Anxious to Secure It.

Secretary Johnston of the Exposition returned from a visit to New Orleans Sunday morning with a firm idea that the chief attraction of the Exposition was the famous Mexican military Band, and he straightway set to work to secure the presence of these distinguished musicians at the opening of the Music Hall, which will probably take place in the early days of June. After consultation as to the best means of compassing the desired object, it was suggested that Capt. James B. Eads, who is one of the most distinguished citizens of St Louis, and who enjoys the intimate personal friendship of President Diaz and of his Cabinet, was at present in the City of Mexico, and that he would be the most influential advocate to put the request. A telegram was accordingly sent to him this afternoon bearing the signatures of Messrs. S. M. Kennard, D. M. Houser and J. H. Johnston, representing the Exposition, and of Mr. John A. Dillon, of the POST-DISPATCH, requesting him to act for the Exposition in securing the necessary consent of the Government.

This Mexican band is one of the most remarkable musical organizations in the world. Their concerts at New Orleans fill every seat of the vast hall of the Exposition, and should our Exposition be so fortunate as to secure their presence it would lend great eclat to the opening of the new Music Hall.

## A DAY OF DEATHS.

### Suicide in Philadelphia—An Embezzler Sentenced to Two Years.

PHILADELPHIA, February 24.—There were four suicides in this city to-day. Glenmore M. Todd, bookkeeper for the Provident Life and Trust Company, charged with the embezzlement of $115,000, pleaded guilty to-day, and was sentenced to two years and eight months.

## NICHOLSON'S NECK SAVED.

### A Wife Murderer's Sentence Commuted to Life Imprisonment.

BOSTON, February 24.—The Governor in council has decided to commute the death sentence of James W. Nicholson to imprisonment for life. Nicholson shot and killed his wife in April last while under the influence of liquor.

## HE FACES THE MUSIC.

### An Embezzling Boston Clerk Pleads Guilty After All.

BOSTON, February 24.—Alfred H. Oliver, a clerk with the Eastern Railroad Company, arrested for the embezzlement of some $12,000 from the company, retracted his plea of not guilty, and pleaded guilty.

**Justifiable Assault.**

On complaint of William Rowley, a sewing machine agent, Frank McDonald was arraigned to-day before Judge Noonan. The testimony tended to show that Rowley visited the house and left a machine, making a proposition to which no true wife could listen. Unfortunately for Mr. Rowley, the lady's husband arrived about this time and the machine man was thrown out. Judge Noonan pronounced the husband's action justifiable to-day, and discharged Mr. McDonald.

You can save money by reading the first page.

**Six Burned Together.**

NEW YORK, February 24.—The funeral of Police Officer Murray, wife and mother-in-law and three children, smothered at fire at Beaver and Williams streets Saturday night, took place to-day from an undertakers The six coffins were placed in six hearses and taken to the Cemetery of Holy Cross at Flatbush, where the services were conducted.

**Small-Pox Stamped Out.**

The O'Rourke family, who were sent to the Small-Pox Hospital from Carondelet January 24, were discharged from there to-day, cured. It is just one month since the city supplied a case of small-pox. The last patient sent to the Small-Pox Hospital was a German girl named Fouk, who was taken there February 4 from the county and died next day.

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**The Harrisons' Answer.**

The answer of William M. and John W. Harrison in the case of A. B. Hart against Edwin Harrison and others was filed in Judge Lubke's Court. It denies all the material allegations in the plaintiff's petition affecting the transfer of Edwin Harrison's property, and claims that the latter was justly indebted to Wm. M. Harrison in the sum of $102,977 78 at the time the deeds of trust were executed.

**Badly Scalded.**

William Brown, a private watchman in the employ of A. N. Kellogg & Co., had his right hand badly scalded at about 6 o'clock this morning by the explosion of a vessel in which he was boiling water preparatory to making a cup of coffee. The scalds were dressed by Dr. Priest at the Dispensary, whence he was taken to his home, 317 S. Third street.

**Purchased a Paper.**

DETROIT, MICH., February 24.—Joseph L. Stickney has purchased the Detroit News. The property included the plant and goodwill, real estate not included. The paper will be continued as a morning Republican daily.

**Died of Her Burns.**

PETERSBURG, VA., February 24.—Christophine Clay, who with her sister Roberta, was seriously burned yesterday, died of her injuries. The funeral will be held to-morrow. A brother of the deceased and a Miss Camp were to be married to-morrow. The lady is here to attend the funeral.

**Failure of a Cabinet Maker.**

NEW YORK, February 24.—Herman Heitscher, a cabinet-maker of West Thirty-third street, assigned to-day to Louis W. Fiedt, giving preferences amounting to $18,885.

**The Poor.**

Mr. John Whittaker sent $25 to Capt. Heubler to-day for distribution to the poor.

LADIES, read Nugent's ad on first page.

## CITY PERSONALS.

Miss Julie Christin is spending a few weeks in the city.

Col. A. A. Talmage, general manager, and James Smith, general traffic manager of the Wabash, left for Chicago on a special train this morning. Col. P M. Hoxie, third vice-president of the Missouri Pacific, returned this morning from a long trip through Texas.

LADIES, read Nugent's ad on first page.

## BALL BELLOWED.

### The Author of the Text-Book Bill in a Rage.

**A Lively Encounter Between a Legislator and a Newspaper Correspondent—Regulating the Storage and Grading of Grain—The Loring Library Bill Passed—News From Jefferson City.**

*By Telegraph to the Post-Dispatch.*

JEFFERSON CITY, MO., February 24.—Senator Ball arose to a question of privilege in the Senate this morning concerning a publication in yesterday's Globe-Democrat relating to his bill on school books. After stating the general scope of the article and its contents, the Senator said: "Mr. President, I wish to brand the statement contained in that article as a bare-faced, dirty lie, and its author and the dictator of it a scoundrel, and the man who wrote it no better than the author. It is a lie out of the whole cloth, and when I faced the man who wrote it and asked him for his authority, he said that he was not at liberty to give it, and I then and there denounced the article and him in terms and words too harsh to be repeated here, and too strong for polite ears. I wish to say that the bill was drawn long before I knew anything about young Crittenden's connection with printing in the State Penitentiary, and as for Carpenter, why, I never met him until this morning. Every word from the beginning to the end of the article is false, excepting only a few words referring to the printing of the school books in the Penitentiary, and they did not have the manhood, the moral courage to give me even simple justice by quoting that correctly. There are men, or rather curs here, in the interests of the publishing houses, who are following at the heels of the members of this legislature, endeavoring to influence Legislators in their favor by killing this bill, and I believe that the article was instigated by them for that purpose. If I had a dog who associated with these common hounds, I'd kill the cur. As for the reference to my friendship for Governor Crittenden, I am proud to be counted among the friends of such a man; a man who is far above the dirty curs who howl and mop at his heels; and in conclusion I wish to state again that the man who dictated that article, the man who wrote it and the paper that published it, are all liars, and I publicly brand them as such."

SOUNDLY ABUSED.

Last night Senator Ball met Michael Fanning, the Globe-Democrat correspondent, in the office of the Madison House, and requested the young man's authority for the statements contained in the article, and when Fanning declined to give it, denounced him in the bitterest and most scathing terms, in words unfit for publication. Fanning parried that avalanche of abuse as best he could, and kept his temper admirably under the circumstance. Later in the evening young Houston Crittenden ran foul of him, and treated him to another dose from the same prescription as Ball's, but Fanning evidently smelled a rat, and thinking it a put-up job to draw him into a fight and down him, he vered off and saved himself by keeping his mouth shut.

BALL'S BILL IN DANGER.

The clause in Senator Ball's bill providing that the printing of school books shall be done by convict labor is likely to prove the death of that measure. So generally is this fact recognized that several members are busily engaged preparing new bills upon the same subject.

Senator Hunter will, in a few days, introduce a bill in the Senate, providing for the selection of school books for the entire State by a board of commissioners, consisting of the Commissioner of Education and the principals and superintendents of the normal schools and the State University, the commissioners to purchase the books from the publishing houses offering the best inducements to the State.

**Senate.**

*By Telegraph to the Post-Dispatch.*

JEFFERSON CITY, February 24.—Senator Saltonstall presented a petition from the citizens of Saline County, praying to be placed on a similar footing with the negroes in relation to the establishment of a school. As the law now stands it requires but sixteen colored children for the establishment of a public school, while thirty white children are necessary.

The Senate consumed about three-quarters of an hour in the election of a page.

The following bills were introduced by Senator Dilley, extending the time for the filing of claims for military services in the late war to twelve months.

The Senate took up and passed a bill making it a misdemeanor for any person to disturb the peace of the neighborhood, family or person by unusual noise, loud and offensive or indecent conversation or fighting.

Senator Parcher will submit a substitute for his school-book bill to the Committee on Education this afternoon. The substitute repeals the law governing the selection and changing of the school books by the county school directors, and provides for the selecting of text books every three years in cities and towns of over 500 persons by the Board of Directors, Board of Alderman or Common Council, and in all other districts by a majority vote of the legal voters of the district. It also provides that the books may also be changed upon a petition of two-thirds of all the voters of the district. It prohibits all school officers, directors and teachers from accepting gifts or presents of any kind.

**The House.**

*By Telegraph to the Post-Dispatch.*

JEFFERSON CITY, MO., February 24.—Mr. Allen presented a petition from the State Holticultural Society, asking for the establishment of the office of State Entomologist.

Mr. Keilog presented a petition asking for the enactment of laws to prevent the spread of contagious diseases among cattle.

The following bills were introduced:

By Mr. Kneisly, to regulate warehouses and the storage of grain by requiring them to grade all grain upon its receipt and prohibiting the mixing of grain under a fine of $1,000.

By Mr. Claycomb, an act to correct a mistake in the wording of the present criminal law, and authorizing a court to enter judgment of conviction on a plea of guilty.

By Mr. Hunter, to regulate dram-shop licenses in the city of Cammerce, Scott County.

By Mr. Farris, to provide for the payment of the militia claims of Colonel Jake Childs.

Mr. Loring's bill providing for the establishing of libraries in cities, towns and villages by authorizing the levy of a tax of two mills on the dollar, was passed.

CAPITAL CHAT.

Messrs Whittaker and Donaldson, stock and bond brokers of St. Louis, arrived here last night and were in consultation with the State Auditor and some of the members to-day, relating to the amendment of the bill funding $7,000,000 of the State debt. As the bill reads at present, the Fund Commissioners shall call for sealed bids for the sale of the bonds, reserving the right to reject any and all bids, and dispose of their bonds at private sale, providing they receive an amount as large as the highest bid in the sealed bids. Mr. Whittaker desires the bill so amended as to sell the bonds at public auction to the highest bidder, in order to bring about more competition and give everybody a chance.

THE M'GRATH-DAVISSON CONTEST.

A circular containing the vote in the Thirty-first Senatorial District for McGrath-Davisson and accompanying it with the Presidential vote, was distributed on the desks of the members this morning, printed tables showing that McGrath did not poll the full vote of his party, and that he fell behind it in every ward in his district. The contest will be considered at to-day's afternoon session, when, it is expected the final argument on both sides will be delivered. Rumor has it that McGrath's friends have about given up the fight, and it is not unlikely that the seat will be declared vacant.

**Treacherous Ice.**

DETROIT, MICH., February 24.—Two men, whose names are unknown, to-day attempted to cross the river to the Canada side on the ice. One fell through into the water and his companion tried to rescue him. The break in the ice threw both in and they were drowned.

LADIES, read Nugent's ad on first page.

## BELLEVILLE.

Philip Aldoerfer and Miss Pauline Dickhaut were married last evening by 'Squire Guentz.

The Baptist Ladies' Missionary Society, is to give a concert to-night at the Baptist Church.

The mission given at St. Peter's Church under the auspices of the Redemptorist fathers ended yesterday.

Messrs. John Penn, David Rentchler, Samuel Crouce and Lon Anderson have returned home from New Orleans.

Eugene Koch, who was brought to the County Farm from the Okan bottom, where he was found in a besotted and almost frozen condition last Saturday, died yesterday morning at that institution.

LADIES, read the first page.


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**Lot Black Gros-Grain Silks—we have never shown its equal at the price—$1 00.**

**Lot same make, better weight and finish, at $1 25.**

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**Lot Black All-Silk Heavy Armures, at $1 50.**

**Lot New Spring Shades in Surah Silks at 95c.**

**Lot All-Silk Satin Rhadames, Spring Shades and Desirable Dark Colors. No such value has been offered in "cheap sales" within 30 per cent of this price.**

**Lot Check and Stripe Silks at 38 1-2 Cents.**

**We have to-day opened the last lot of Black Brocade Satins at 93c per yd. These goods will never be duplicated again at this price; they are worth to-day $1 25 at wholesale.**


## OUR NEIGHBORS.

### Interesting Personal, Social, and News Gossip from the Neighboring Towns.

*Special Correspondence of the Post-Dispatch.*

TROY, MO., February 23.—The residence of Mr. C. Dryden caught fire yesterday morning from a defective flue, but the fire was extinguished before doing much damage. The residence of Dr. P. L. Kabler narrowly escaped destruction from the same cause last Wednesday.

LAMAR, February 23.—Rev. Clarke Bradon was arrested on Saturday evening at Liberal by Deputy Sheriff Boston, and brought to this place, where Sheriff J. T. Lane of Wilbur, Neb., was in waiting to escort him to that place on a charge of disposing of mortgaged property—a printing office. The Sheriff from Nebraska left with his man yesterday morning.

MACON, MO., February 24.—Probably the oldest resident of this State, an old colored woman by the name of Marmaduke, died in this city Friday, and was followed to her last resting place yesterday by a large concourse of colored people. From records and the best evidence she was 119 years of age, and up to a late date was quite active, doing all her own work.

TIPTON, MO., February 23.—The Lander Hotel building is about completed, and will be opened March 1.——Mr. Ira Robertson is attending the Exposition at New Orleans.——Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Maclay and Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Reavis are expected home on Thursday next from visiting at the World's Fair.——H. J. Helper, ex-Postmaster, was bitten by a canine yesterday. The wound will not prove serious.

MARYVILLE, MO., February 24.—Circuit Court convenes here next Monday. The probabilities are that there will be about twenty indictments found against persons engaged in the lynching of Stephens.——The Presbyterians are making preparations for the erection of a new house of worship.——W. M. Newland, cashier of the Clarinda, Page County (Iowa), Bank, stopped over Sunday.——The township election next month has developed numerous candidates for the different offices. They are: five justices, clerk, treasurer, collector, constable and trustee.

ROLLA, MO., February 23.—In the contested election case between Bishop and Fort, which was decided by Judge Bland last Wednesday, Fort was declared elected by 22 majority.——Mrs. Hallie Stahlberg of St. Charles was visiting relatives in this city last week.——Mr. J. F. Kline left on Tuesday for a visit to his old home in Orangeville, Pa.——Owing to the hard times Rolla will not be represented at the inaugural ceremonies of President Cleveland on March 4.——Judge Bland, Joseph Campbell and Professor Wait left yesterday for Jefferson City on business connected with the School of Mines.——The annual meeting of the graduating class of the School of Mines, for the purpose of electing a valedictorian, was held at the Grant House Monday night Fremont Wilson was unanimously chosen valedictorian by the class.

LOUISIANA, MO., February 23.—The children of Rev. S. L. Woody, aged 2 and 5 years, were poisoned last evening by drinking half a bottle of Jayne's Expectorant Mixture. The mother, returning after a short absence in another room, found them suffering with deathly nausea, vomiting, and a disposition to sleep. A physician soon relieved the little meddlers of their distress, and this morning they are apparently quite recovered.

JACKSONVILLE, ILL., February 23.—A number of our citizens will leave for Washington this week, to be present at the inauguration on the 4th prox.——Miss Mary McDowell of Evanston is here lecturing to the ladies on temperance.——On the 26th inst. a large number of our citizens leave on the Chicago and Alton Railroad for New Orleans on a special car.——Mrs. Frank Burnett and daughter, Gussie, of St. Louis, are visiting Judge Draper and family of this city.

**At the Four Courts.**

A charge of assault to kill against John Noonan was dismissed to-day for want of prosecution.

Con O'Brien was acquitted to-day of a charge of cruelty to animals.

John Newton, alias Henry, was held in $800 bond to-day for an assault on Shep Johnson.

Charges of selling lottery tickets against Arthur Leitch, William Jones, Sam Watson and John McWilliams; burglary against James Walsh, and petit larceny against William Blue were entered on the docket of the Court of Criminal Correction to-day.

Warrants were issued to-day against J. Gardener, Eph. Eddy and J. W. Cornelius, charged with playing poker.

**Jumped the Track.**

A freight train, consisting of about twenty empty box cars, while on its way across the bridge at 2 o'clock this afternoon, jumped the track in front of the Relay Depot, East St. Louis. Traffic was inconvenienced considerably in consequence of the accident, but no material damage was done, as none of the cars were overturned, owing to the slow rate of speed at which the train was running.

**The Bridal Bulletin.**

The following marriage licenses were issued to-day: Joseph Berrodin 319 S. Seventeenth street to Wilhelmina Berderwellen, 319 S. Seventeenth street; Henry Wenle, Seventeenth and Glasgow avenue to Rosalie Latrace Seventeenth and Glasgow avenue; August Brandt, 2008 Cherokee street to Mary Algier, St. Louis County; Otto Fehlhammer, 2108 S. Broadway, to Louisa Dietz, 2108 S. Broadway; Clemens Ruemmler, 835 Bogy street, to Annie Siekermann, 1920 N. Broadway; Alexander Blaikie, St. Louis County, to Marche Johnston, St. Louis County; Clark Clevenger, 837 S. Seventh street, to Miss Sadie Brown, 837 S. Seventh street; Fred. D. Snow, 1710 Carr Place to Laura E. Radford, 2415 N. Twelfth street; Wesley M. Hooper, 701 N. Sixteenth street to Katie D. Wheeler, 1808 Olive street.

## CHARGED WITH LARCENY.

### A Novel Scheme for Robbing a Residence in Safety.

To-day warrants were sworn out against August Altemeyer, Joseph and B. Cayon, charging them with grand larceny. A few nights ago a young man called at the home of Mr. August Altemeyer, No. 1016 Carroll, and stated to the servant girl that her mistress was sick at a masquerade ball near by and had sent for her. During her absence the house was robbed and $675 was taken. Chief Burke ascertained yesterday that the young men named above were spending money freely, and they were accordingly arrested and warrants issued against them to-day. The prisoners are related to the man who was robbed.

**New Suits.**

The following new suits were filed to-day; Cassandra E. Locke against John A. Moffitt for her dower interest in certain lands on Washington avenue, conveyed by her husband during his lifetime without her assent; Morton C. Warren, Isaiah A. Lahey and John J. H. Dubord against W. H. Gumersell & Co. and others, to set aside the confession of judgment made to James A. Gumersell and others just before the assignment of the firm; May E. Broderick against Martin Broderick, for divorce on the ground that Martin has been too intimate outside of his family; Christina Hibbs against the St. Louis Iron Mountain and Southern Railway Company, to recover possession of a tract of land on Main street, $1,000 damages and $250 monthly rents and profits; Christina Hibbs against the Hazzard & Wilson Coal Company, for possession of lands unlawfully withheld, $1,000 damages and $250 monthly rents and profits.

LADIES, read Nugent's ad on first page.

**"Influence" Don't Go.**

By order of the Board of Police Commissioners the following notification was sent through the Police Department to-day.

"Any member of the Police Department who shall request the aid of any citizen to have him restored to duty in any district or any beat from which he has been removed by order of a superior officer, or who shall knowingly permit any petition to be gotten up or presented by citizens, requesting such transfer or restoration to duty, shall be immediately suspended from duty by the commander of the district to which he belongs, and charges preferred citing him to appear before the Board of Police Commissioners for trial at their next regular meeting."

**Appellate Opinions.**

Among the cases decided by the Court of Appeals this morning were the following: State against Miller, affirmed; Fath against Hake, reversed and remanded; Wengler against the Missouri Pacific Railway Company, reversed and remanded; Laudermann against Gumersell, reversed and remanded; Van Biarcum against Donovan, affirmed; Eisenhart against Cabanne, affirmed; State, ex rel., Evangelical Lutheran Church Cemetery Association vs. Lange, Assessor, affirmed; City against Cruikshank, reversed and remanded; Eyerman against Scollay, affirmed; Hoester against Hemsail, affirmed.

**Reducing the Waste of Water.**

The special effort made by Water Assessor Mott Sunday and yesterday to reduce the waste of water, proved highly successful. In all, thirty inspectors were employed, and they made a total of 1,469 visits, discovered 180 leaks, and shut off the water from 74 burst hydrants. The result was a gain of twelve inches in the reservoir, which means a total of 2,772,000 gallons of water, each inch in the reservoir counting an additional 231,000 gallons. The result was so satisfactory that the appointment of a special corps of inspectors will be suggested to the Municipal Assembly.

**The Weather.**

The indications point to a continuation of the moderate weather of to-day, and, perhaps, a still higher thermometer, accompanied by falling weather—snow or rain. The readings of the thermometer, as reported by Hernstein & Prince, are as follows: 8 a. m., 29°; 9 a. m., 30°; 10 a. m., 31°; 11 a. m., 32°; 12 m., 34°; 1 p. m., 33°; 2 p. m., 34°; 3 p. m., 34°.

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# PRINCE COLONNA'S BRIDE

## How an American Girl Gave Up the Cloister for a Coronet.

**Details of a Gorgeous Nuptial Mass—The Pope's Blessing Sent by Wire—Splendid Bridal Gifts and Splendid Dresses—How Mrs. Mackay Ignored the Great Man Milliner of Paris.**

*Correspondence of the World.*

PARIS, February 12.—A score or two of money-spending magnates like Mr. and Mrs. Mackay would soon change the face of that Paris which is talking to-night, not of the Presidential reception at the Elysee Palace, but of the dazzling wedding of to-day, by which a Prince of the patrician blood of Rome has again joyfully elected to walk hand in with one of America's daughters. Just twelve months ago the now Princess Colonna was thinking seriously of becoming a nun in the fashionable Convent of the Sacred Heart, at Auteuil. The eyes of Evelyne Mackay have always had a seraphic twinkle about them, which tells of religious tenderness and mystical longings. Human love had never welled up out of her soul, and the bitterness of being sought as an heiress was more than once nearly souring her girlhood. There were, of course, many suitors for her hand. The empty-coffered but genuine nobility of France and Italy "went for" the daughter of the palace near the Arc de Triomphe. But they found only a simple and earnest girl guided by a clever and practical woman of the work. It went forth ostentatiously that there was to be no dowry with the hand of Evelyne. "I am seriously thinking," said Mrs. Mackay one day, "of having a notice put up on the door stating that no dowry-hunters need apply." And this was no mere small talk. The ex-Queen Isabella found that not even for a semi-royal alliance would this principal be departed from. Other suitors came, but they were all quietly dismissed. The only two love stories in the life of the bride of to-day were those of Senor Calderon and Viscount Fielding, the son of Lord Denbigh. Miss Mackay was at school with Senor Calderon's sisters and a kind of attachment sprang up, but this was only a passing idyl. Probably the Princess Colonna never heard of the timid love of Viscount Fielding except from the paragraphs in English society papers. At last the prophecy made ten years ago that Miss Mackay would one day be a Princess approached fulfillment.

MEETING HER FATE.

By a series of extraordinary coincidences worthy of a book of fiction Evelyne met her "fate" at the Villa Felfener in Rome. Don Ferdinando Colonna, Prince of Galatro, was in his Italian uniform, and his handsome, straight-forward face at once showed that he was about to acknowledge the sceptre of Love. Some difficulties were raised on both sides. It is an undoubted fact that his family, one of the "bluest" in point of blood, made no objection to the match. Mr. Mackay asked to be allowed to satisfy himself, and delayed his consent until he reached Paris. "Women," he said, in his bluff way, "are no judges of a man where their happiness is concerned, and, above all, I want to see the Prince who is to lead Evelyne to the altar." Don Ferdinando soon became the all-round favorite of the Mackays and a wedding was fixed to take place when the military service of the Prince had expired. Father Denis Egerton, an English Passionist monk, was the chief adviser of Evelyne Mackay. It was he who dissuaded her from adopting conventual life, and he has been all along a warm partisan of the Colonna alliance.

SIGNING THE CONTRACT.

On the evening of Tuesday, the 10th inst., a brilliant but select party gathered at the Rue de Tilsit for the signing of the marriage contract. Among the guests were Minister Morton, Duke Decazes, Prince d'Angri Doria, the uncle of the bridegroom, and the whole strength of the Colonna and Mackay families. Evelyne looked charming in crepe de chine toilet of the most "killing" pink, and Mrs. Mackay wore tea-rose satin, with a wondrous tablier, embroidered with fine pearls and luxuriant tropical flowers of finest texture. The edges consisted of a deep fringe of pearls. The whole scene was one of right royal richness, not even equalled by the much-talked-of contract signing of the daughter of the Duc de la Rouchefoucauld Bisaccia.

THE CEREMONY.

On Thursday morning, the 12th inst., at 11 o'clock the religious ceremony was performed in the Throne room of the Papal Nunciature by His Excellency Mgr. di Rende. The Pope's representative in Paris is a courtly and good looking prelate in the prime of life. He belongs to one of the best families in Naples, and apart from his position is by birth a *Marquis* and by ecclesiastical promotion Archbishop of *Benevento*. The Nuncio is an intimate of the Mackay household, frequently attending Mrs. Mackay's musical soirees, the rustle of his violet cassock being heard going down the staircase to his carriage as the "frou frou" of Anna Judie's or Jeanne Granier's swept by to keep an engagement to sing one of their spicy songs. The Pope's ambassador, whose political position in Paris is uncertain, hurried back from Rome for the wedding, at which he officiated, assisted by his auditor, Mgr. Averardi.

The crimson Papal throne was cleverly transformed into an altar, the picture of Leo XIII. being temporarily removed to the wall upon the other side of the room. Mgr. di Rende himself, clothed in a rich white chasuble with gold embroidery, with the jeweled mitre upon his head, received the illustrious bridal party, and before beginning the nuptial ceremony addressed a few words to the bride and bridegroom.

The solemn blessing of the ring followed and the mass pro sponso et sponsa was celebrated, the Prince and Princess following the rigid letter of the Roman ritual by receiving the holy communion fasting. The grouping at the moment of the last benediction was beautiful. The simple but richly laden altar formed an attractive background to the multi-colored toilets of the ladies, of which the following are the most worthy of notice:

THE BRIDE'S DRESS.

The young Princess Colonna wore an ivory satin dress of classic simplicity and untold richness. The body perfectly plain, with stand-up collar edged with diminutive pearls and frilling of silk lisse; the jupon and train embroidered at the edge with orange blossoms; the lower edge of the jupon skirted with a fringe of natural orange buds; wreath and side loop of real orange; the balayeuse real Valenciennes lace.

MISS MACKAY'S DRESS.

Rich Lyons satin costume, with train color "electric" blue; body satin ground with raised velvet trefoils; jupe rich bead and chenille design of expanding flowers, upon a shining lake of satin; bonnet, satin, chenille and velvet to match, trimmed with tiny birds of pure gold, and plummage of darker ostrich tips daintily throwing up the paler hue of the costume.

MRS. HUNGERFORD'S DRESS.

A majestic dowager costume of mediæval pattern, with train. Design, floral tapestry, deftly embossed upon an old gold satin ground; the other colors being sky-blue and Chestnut. Stomacher Marie Therese, with small pendant acorns of bronze and gold. Tablier matching stomacher. Hat Directoire pure old gold velvet and high feathers.

THE COUNTESS TELFENER'S DRESS.

A superb crushed strawberry St. Etienne satin dress with richly folded train and raised moss-colored daffodils of Genoese velvet. An antique fifteenth-century Venetian point-lace neckerchief of Renaissance design. The dress looped with diamond buckles. Bonnet, small moss-colored velvet crown trimmed with gold plume of red feathers, in the midst of which nestles a gray and gold bird.

THE BRIDAL GIFTS.

The magnificent gifts presented to the Princess by her parents includes a garland of diamond fern leaves for the hair, which can also be worn upon the corsage. Three pairs of solitaire ear-rings, with portebonheur bracelets. A comb surmounted with a row of diamond leaves and a necklace of splendid workmanship have also excited much admiration. The chief gift, however, is that of a rich parure of pearls. The necklet and bracelets are barred with diamonds, and the ear-rings are giant pearls set in diamonds.

There was no wedding breakfast. But Mr. and Mrs. Mackay received half Paris at the Rue de Tilsitt after the ceremony. The bride and bridegroom left for their wedding tour in the evening. They will pass through the Riviera to Rome, where they will be received by the Pope in special audience. By order of His Holiness, Mgr. Cataldi "wired" the Pontifical benediction to the happy couple.

The great dressmakers and milliners of the Rue de la Paix and the boulevards are furious. None of the wedding toilets were made by them, and all the forty-three traveling, town, concert, matinee and dinner dresses came from the skillful hands of an obscure and artistic couturiere. As Mrs. Mackay herself wittily remarked: "I like to employ a dressmaker for what she is 'Worth.'" In this case she has certainly eclipsed all that Paris has done of late.

## ABOUT TOWN.

NATURALIZATION papers were granted Christian Haap to-day.

A DARK coat was stolen from the room of Barney Raffles, 1828 Park avenue.

HENRY FLOR was sent to jail for one day by Judge Noonan this morning, for petit larceny.

BLAIR, Hardin and Garesche Posts, G. A. R., leave for Kansas City via the Wabash, March 3.

R. W. HESS reported to the police that he had lost a pink onyx sleeve-button which he prizes very highly.

LORENZ LUCAS, was held in bond of $1,000 to-day, on a charge of burglary in the Court of Criminal Correction.

AN authenticated copy of the will of Roberta C. Cole of Madison County, Wis., was admitted to probate to-day.

A PARTY of nineteen excursionists from Sterling, Ill., leaves for New Orleans this evening via the Louisville and Nashville.

ANTONIO BEARRA, a disreputable character, was fined $3 by Judge Cady to-day and given until 4 o'clock to leave the city.

THE Raymond-Whitcomb party of Boston capitalists were detained here last night, but went via Chicago over the Chicago and Alton in a special train this morning.

A GENTLEMAN at the southeast corner of Seventh and Soulard streets donated fifty loaves of bread, and a lady at 213 N. Ewing avenue some clothing, to the poor this week.

THE appeal in the case of the State against Conrad Lehr, who was convicted twice of petit larceny and sentenced to two years in the Penitentiary, was dismissed by the Court of Appeals this morning on the ground that it had no jurisdiction.

MR. BRAUN, the proprietor of Braun's Hall, mentioned in yesterday's list of Saturday night hops, claims that he keeps the place in a quiet and orderly manner; that he can prove this statement by the police, and that he simply rents the hall to parties who hold the hops there.

LARRY HARDY of 135 Convent street writes that the statement to the effect that he was present at the hop of the "Bunch of Jerks" Saturday night is erroneous. He was at work in the St. Louis Gas Light Company's shops that night, and was not near the hop referred to.

AT the meeting of the Board of Public Improvements to-day an ordinance was adopted straightening Lindell avenue, between Channing and Ware, in response to a petition of the property-holders. The Street Commissioner submitted an estimate for the masonry for the approaches to the Grand avenue bridge over the Mill Creek Valley, and March 9 was fixed for the opening of bids.

## BISHOP OF NEBRASKA.

**The Consecration of Rev. George Worthington at Detroit, Michigan.**

DETROIT, MICH., February 24.—Rev. George Worthington, of this city, this morning was consecrated Bishop of Nebraska in St. John's Episcopal Church. Bishop Coxe of New York acted as presiding bishop. Rev. Wilson, deacon of St. John's, acted as master of ceremonies. The services began after the entry of the procession, comprising the priests and bishops the vestry of St. Johns, visiting laymen from the Diocese of Nebraska and the vestry from other city churches, with prayer by Bishop Cox at 10:30. Bishop Seymour of Springfield read the decalogue, following which Bishop Bissel of Wisconsin read the epistle, selecting Acts xx, 17. Bishop Gillespie of Western Michigan read the gospel, and a hymn was sung. Bishop Potter of New York delivered the sermon.

## LATER FOREIGN NEWS.

### England.

THE CONSERVATIVES DETERMINED.

LONDON, February 24.—In the Commons this afternoon a motion was made to suspend the regular order so as to enable the Commons to resume debate on the resolution censuring the Government's Egyptian policy. The Irish members opposed the motion, and an uproar ensued, during which O'Brien was conspicuous for disorderly conduct, and defied the Speaker. He was therefore suspended. At a meeting of Conservative Peers and members of the Commons held at the Carlton Club to-day it was decided that they should support, with their full strength, the vote of censure against the Government in each House.

### Russia.

NO NEED OF FEAR.

ST. PETERSBURG, February 24.—The Journal de Petersburg denies that Russia has any ulterior designs on Central Asia, and declares that Russia will observe the Russo-English agreement with strict fidelity.

### Mr. Harris Elected President.

PHILADELPHIA, PA., February 24.—At the annual meeting of the Lehigh Coal and Navigation Company to-day, S. Harris was chosen president.

## A POLICEMAN'S CONQUEST.

**An Ex-Coachman Gets a Rich Widow and a Palatial Home.**

*From the San Francisco Chronicle.*

Quite a sensational marriage occured in police circles last Saturday night, and the event still constitutes a leading topic among the city's defenders. Captain Short of the Southern Police Station received a note from Officer Minehan on Saturday asking to be excused from going on duty that night as he was going to be married. Little attention was paid to the incident at the time, but the next day there were numerous rumors afloat that the officer's wedding was considerably out of the ordinary matrimonial groove, and that Minehan had struck a veritable bonanza as well as a wife.

The story goes that the new-made bride was the relict of one of San Francisco's solid business men, who had at one time been a prominent whiskey dealer. In 1874, when Consolidated Virginia went skyward with a rush that dazed the plodders and made millionaires of the *canaille*, the departed gentleman aforesaid was the fortunate owner of 100 shares of that "gilt-edged," prospect hole, and wise by concluding that a "bird in the hand is worth two in the bush," he sold out at a big price, without waiting for the much larger one that was prophesied. He immediately invested the proceeds in a fine down-town business lot and proceeded at once to erect upon it a handsome and costly building. His judgment in real estate was as reliable as in the more spiritual occupation of earlier years, and the property rapidly advanced in value, so that at the time of his death, a few years ago, it was said to be worth $250,000. He had also accumulated considerable other property, among the rest an elegant residence in the western part of the city, with large and handsome grounds and the usual appurtenances to modern luxury. The partner of his joys and sorrows at this season, when the phrase had been transposed and the joys were the prominent feature, had gone to some of the inland towns for a visit to some distant relatives. Upon the return trip she had the temerity to intrust herself to a mountain stage-coach and its reckless driver, and the result, independent of a wrecked stage, was that our prosperous financier long mourned his lost spouse.

A few years later, when his grief had spent its force and his dollars had grown apace, he concluded once more to embark upon the perilous waters of the matrimonial sea. This time his affections were bestowed upon his housekeeper instead of some contemporary millionaire's daughter, and here too his superior judgment displayed itself, for it is said that no more exemplary wife and thrifty manager could have been chosen, and his last moments were made comfortable and cheerful by his former domestic, to whom he bequeathed his whole fortune, which in the last ten years had grown to ample proportions.

This is the interesting lady upon whom the fascinating policeman has bestowed his heart. It is said that he is a steady and trustworthy man, and altogether likely to increase the "shekels" in the family coffers. It is understood that they have gone East on their tour, and that after "doing" the large cities they will return to this city. It seems scarcely necessary to add that the fortunate officer belongs to the "coachman" ranks, having formerly held that position for Peter Donahue.

## Vanderbilt's Plucky Daughter.

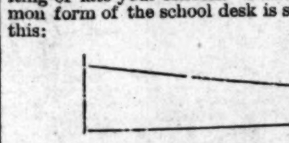
*From the Syracuse Journal.*

William Seward Webb, a son of Gen. James Watson Webb, the journalist, married Lelia Osgood Vanderbilt, the last remaining unmarried daughter of William H. Vanderbilt, the richest man in America. It was a love match, too, and the young pair are as happy as turtle doves in each other's society. Webb was a young sprig, and Vanderbilt did not like him. Figuratively speaking, he kicked him out of the house several times, but in this instance love laughed at kicks, and doubtless would have taken cuffs at the same time with perfect composure. The fact is, Mr. Vanderbilt forbade him the house, but the young girl wys in love with young Webb, and when a girl is in love there is one of two things—she will either get over it or go through with it. Miss Lelia had set her heart on the young doctor, and if the stern father had surrounded his domicile with a fence bristling with spikes, scattered broken bottles at all the approaches, and populated the inclosure with hungry bulldogs, the Romeo of my story would have braved all the dangers, with the additional one of the Vanderbilt boot, to bask in the light of his lady-love's eyes. The old gentleman was unrelenting, and I verily believe there would have been an elopement but for the interference of Mrs. Vanderbilt. She was the daughter of a clergyman, you know. She is good-hearted and sensible, and, with a woman's foresight, saw how things were going and told her husband that he must not try to prevent the match. He respects his wife, who is all that a helpmeet implies to him, and bowed to her will. They were married with a good deal of pomp. Mr. Vanderbilt made the young man a junior partner in a firm of brokers, to give him a Wall Street education, and then set him up in business for himself.

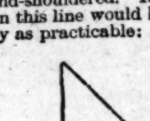
## Our National Eyesight.

*From the New York World.*

"I like your newspapers very much," said Mgr. Capel yesterday to a representative of the WORLD. "They are brightly headed, well edited and arranged, but the small type as a rule distresses me. Your papers are not so well printed as the London newspapers. But everybody reads the newspapers here. I am struck with that wherever I go. Newspaper reading is universal. But," continued the Monsignor, "I am afraid that you are going to destroy your national eyesight. Much of the myopia and near-sightedness in Germany is said to be due to the bad style of the old German types used in printing. Many of the German printing houses are now using the Roman letters. You do not pay enough attention to the eyesight of your children here. I have been visiting of late your schools. I find that the common form of the school desk is something like this:



"Now anybody can see that a child sitting at a desk so flat as this must strain its vision or become round-shouldered. It seems to me that something in this line would be far more sensible and fully as practicable:



"Upon a desk of this kind a child could read without straining its eyes or bowing its spinal column. This is something to be seriously considered. Print your newspapers in larger type and take care of your eyesight."

## Curious Hole in the Ground.

*From the Deadwood Pioneer.*

The Star No. 1 Mine in the Galena District is owned by Billy Richardson and Levi Deffenbach. Mr. Blood and partner took a contract to run in a tunnel, and after getting in about twenty-five feet struck a body of sixty-ounce silver rock. They penetrated the ore body but a short distance when they broke into a large crevice, two feet or more in width, that is almost vertical. A rope was procured and a lighted candle lowered 100 feet, where a shelving projection prevented it from going further down. Stones were dropped in at the top and they could be heard striking along the side for a long distance below the candle. The owners of the mine will explore this natural shaft and will go to the bottom of it as soon as a windlass can be erected to raise and lower the miners.

A peculiarity of the hole in the rocks is that there is a constant ebb and flow of air through it. For ten-and-a-half minutes the air comes up and then for about the same length of time it goes down. It evidently connects with some subterranean cavern that has an outside opening somewhere.

## The Genial Showman.

*From the Paris Morning News.*

The gentleman who managed Matthew Arnold's American tour is reported to have addressed an audience at St. Louis somewhat as follows: "Ladies and gentlemen: Next week we shall have here those beautiful singers, the Johnson sisters. Two weeks from to-night Professor Force-Wind will give us magnificent views of Europe upon the magic lantern, and to-night I have the pleasure of introducing to you that distinguished professor who has passed most of his life in India, Matthew Arnold, who is the author of that great poem, 'The Light of Asia.'"

## SPECIAL NOTICES.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.—Notice, all persons opposed to the closing of cisterns and wells are requested to meet at the City Hall to-night.
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# MONEY.

NEW YORK, February 24.—Money easy at 1½ per cent; bar silver 106⅝. Stocks opened strong and active, Lackawana leading and selling up to 103; other stocks show smaller gains, and noon prices are a shade off.

NEW YORK, February 24.—The exports from this port the past week were valued at $5,417,915.

NEW YORK, February 24.—Threes 101, 4½s 112⅞, 4s 122⅝. Pacific 6s of '95 125.

WALL STREET—3 P. M.—The stock market has been active all the afternoon with only slight reactions, and closed strong at fractions below best figures.

Corrected daily by James Campbell, Banker and Broker 307 Pine street.

U. S. BONDS.

| | When due. | Interest payable. | Bid. | Ask. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 3 ₩ cent bonds..... | | M. A. N. & F. | 101 | 101⅛ |
| 4½ ₩ cent bonds..... | 1891 | J. S. D. & M. | 112⅛ | 113 |
| 4 ₩ cent bonds..... | 1907 | J. A. J. & O. | 122⅝ | 122⅞ |

RAILWAY BONDS.

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Mo. Pac. 1st m. 6's.. | 1888 | Feb. & Aug. | 105 | 105⅛ |
| Mo. Pac. Consols.. | 1920 | May & Nov. | 93 | 94 |
| Mo. Pac. 2d m. 7's.. | 1891 | Jan. & July | 108⅛ | 109⅛ |
| Mo. Pac. 3d...... | 1906 | May & Nov. | 100 | 101⅛ |
| No. Mo. 1st m. 7's.. | 1895 | Jan. & July | 110¾ | 111 |
| K. P. 1st m. 6's..... | 1895 | Feb. & Aug. | 108 | 110 |
| K. P. 1st m. 6's..... | 1896 | June & Dec. | 106 | 106⅛ |
| K. P. D. Ex. 6's..... | 1899 | May & Nov. | 104⅛ | 105 |
| K. P. Consols...... | 1919 | May & Nov. | 94¾ | 95¾ |
| St. L. & M. 1st 7's.. | 1892 | Feb. & Aug. | 111⅛ | 112⅛ |

ST. LOUIS CITY AND COUNTY BONDS.

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| City 4's sterling, 10-20s... | 1902 | May & Nov. | 100 | 102 |
| City 4's sterling, 10-20s... | 1903 | Jan. & July | 100 | 102 |
| City 5's sterling, 10-20s... | 1900 | June & Dec. | 102 | 104 |
| City 5's...... | 1900 | Jan. & July | 106⅛ | 107⅛ |
| City 6's currency... | 1886—87 | Various. | 103 | 104 |
| City 6's gold..... | 1892—93 | Various. | 108⅛ | 109⅛ |
| City 6's sterling..... | 1898 | June & Dec. | 115⅛ | 116⅛ |
| City 6's water....... | 1887 | June & Dec. | 103 | 104 |
| City 6's water....... | 1890 | June & Dec. | 106⅛ | 108 |
| City 6's water....... | 1892 | April & Oct. | 108⅛ | 109⅛ |
| City 6's bridge approach........ | 1892 | June & Dec. | 109¾ | 110⅛ |
| County 7's currency | 1885 | Feb. & Aug. | 100 | 101 |
| County 6's gold.... | 1895—96 | Jan. & July | .... | 113 |
| County Park....... | 1905 | April & Oct. | 116 | 118 |

*Interest to seller.

Clearings........................$ 2,609,799
Balance.......................... 212,183

### New York Stock Quotations.

Corrected daily by Matthews & Whittaker, bankers and brokers, No. 121 N. Third street, St. Louis, Mo.

| STOCKS. | Opening. | Highest. | Lowest. | Closing. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Canada Southern........ | 33¼ | 33¼ | 33¼ | 33¼ |
| Canadia Pacific........ | 38¾ | 38¾ | 38¾ | 38⅞ |
| Central New Jersey........ | 39⅞ | 39⅞ | 39 | 39 |
| Central Pacific........ | 34⅞ | 35⅞ | 34¾ | 34⅞ |
| Chic., St P., M. & O........ | 27⅞ | 28⅛ | 27¾ | 28¼ |
| Chic. St P., M. & O., pref........ | 89 | 90 | 88⅞ | 89⅜ |
| Chic., R. I. & Pac........ | 114 | 114 | 114 | 114 |
| Chic. Bur. & Quincy........ | 121⅛ | 122 | 121⅛ | 121⅞ |
| Chic., Mil. & St. P........ | 73 | 74⅛ | 73 | 74 |
| Chicago & Northwestern........ | 94⅝ | 95⅞ | 94⅛ | 95⅞ |
| Delaware, Lackawanna & West........ | 101⅛ | 103 | 101⅛ | 102⅞ |
| Denver & Rio Grande........ | 8½ | 8⅞ | 8⅛ | 8⅞ |
| Erie, common........ | 13⅜ | 13¾ | 13½ | 13⅜ |
| Illinois Central........ | 124 | 124 | 123⅞ | 123⅞ |
| Ind., B. & Western........ | 14¼ | 14¼ | 14¼ | 14¼ |
| Lake Shore........ | 67 | 67⅛ | 66⅞ | 67⅛ |
| Louisville & Nashville........ | 29¾ | 29¾ | 29⅝ | 29¾ |
| Michigan Central........ | 64⅛ | 64⅛ | 63 | 63 |
| Missouri Pacific........ | 94⅞ | 95⅛ | 93⅞ | 94⅛ |
| Missouri, Kansas & Texas........ | 17 | 17⅛ | 16⅞ | 16⅞ |
| Manhattan Elevated........ | 76¾ | 76⅞ | 76¾ | 76¾ |
| New York Central........ | 93⅜ | 93⅝ | 94⅛ | 95⅛ |
| New York, Chicag & St. L. pref........ | 9⅛ | 9⅛ | 9 | 9 |
| N. Y., Chicago & St. Louis, com........ | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 |
| Northern Pacific com........ | 18⅞ | 13⅞ | 18⅛ | 18⅛ |
| Northern Pacific pref........ | 43⅞ | 43⅞ | 42⅞ | 42⅞ |
| Oregon & Transcontinental........ | 14 | 14⅛ | 13⅞ | 14 |
| Or. Nav. & Trans. Co........ | 67⅛ | 67⅛ | 67⅛ | 67⅛ |
| Pacific Mail........ | 56 | 56⅜ | 55⅞ | 55⅞ |
| Phil. & Reading........ | 17⅛ | 17⅞ | 17⅛ | 17⅞ |
| Pulman Palace Car........ | 114⅛ | 114⅛ | 114⅛ | 114⅛ |
| St. P., M. & Manitoba........ | 88⅞ | 89⅞ | 88⅞ | 89⅞ |
| Texas & Pacific........ | 15 | 13 | 12⅞ | 13 |
| Union Pacific........ | 48⅛ | 49 | 48⅛ | 49 |
| Western U. T. Co........ | 59⅛ | 60⅛ | 59⅛ | 59⅛ |
| West Shore Bonds........ | 37⅞ | 37⅞ | 36⅞ | 36⅞ |

# COMMERCE.

## LOWER PRICES LOOKED FOR.

**Wheat Settling Down in Price and Pork Largely Lower—Corn Best Sustained.**

*Special By Telegraph From Pickering & Co., Chicago, to the Post-Dispatch.*

CHICAGO, February 24.—Cables to-day quote very dull and quiet markets, while receipts at Western points foot up 1,004 cars, but our market has ruled quite firm all day. Some trading yesterday was done at slight advance over Saturday's figures, and to-day, under a fair demand from the seaboard markets, prices were well maintained. Local traders were generally inclined to be bullish. There was no trade of any magnitude that took place, though purchases were made early by Wallace and Scott Linn of about one hundred and fifty thousand bushels each. The week's exports from the Atlantic seaboard were only 410,000 bushels, which news had a weakening effect, the market closing quite weak. Many think we are now going to have a lower market, as prices have been kept so long above the present price without attracting orders to buy up to any extent. Receipts are expected to be large for the balance of the week. The export demand is very light, and probably will sink to nearly nothing for a short time.

Corn opened firmer under a good general demand, May selling up to 41⅞. The weakness in pork and the prospect for larger receipts caused many to turn sellers, the market falling off half a cent and closing steady. Seven hundred cars are looked for to-morrow. The sample demand was good, but checked greatly by the scarcity of Eastern cars. The exports for the last week were 2,000,000 bushels, indicating a decrease in the visible supply. This statement was delayed by yesterday's holiday till to-morrow. Love, Eldridge, Geddes, Fowler and Rayward were all free sellers of May corn, while Lester, Gaylor, and Coon Knowles were the largest buyers.

Provisions were weak and unsettled from the opening. Packers were large sellers, pounding the market heavily. Armour Hutchinson and Baldwin sold large quantities and seemed to have an inexhaustible supply. Lard and ribs followed pork downwards under free sales. The market closed steady and slightly above the lowest prices. The general opinion among provision dealers is that prices are too high.

The markets this afternoon were all weak, with wheat selling down 1c under heavy sales by Gaylord, Schwartz & Lester. It is reported that New York is very weak on no export demand. Corn down to 41 for May. Large business in provisions at steady prices.

### St. Louis Afternoon Board.

Wheat depressed by a break in Chicago, and with free selling by local shorts the market declined ⅝c Corn lower in sympathy with wheat.

Wheat—February 86⅛ b.; March 87 b.; May 91½ to 90¾, closing at 91; June 92 to 91⅝; year 86¼. Corn—February 36⅜ b.; March 36⅜ b.; April 37⅜ to 37 1-4; May 38 to 37 7-8@37⅞; year 36¼ and later 36⅛ a. Oats—February 30 b.; May 31¾@31⅞ b.; June 32 a.

### Closing Prices—3 P. M.

Reported daily by Redmond Cleary & Co., No. 26 S. Commercial street, St. Louis.

Grain—CHICAGO—Wheat—February 77; March 77¼; April 77⅞ a.; May 82⅝@¾; June 84¼. Corn—February 37⅛; March 37⅛ b.; April 38⅛ a.; May 41@⅛ Oats—February 27⅛; March 27⅛; April 27⅞; May 30⅞.

BALTIMORE—Wheat—February 87@87⅛; March 87⅞@88⅛; May 92⅛@92¼. Corn—February 48⅛@48¼; March 47⅝@47⅞; May 48⅛.

TOLEDO — Wheat — February, 78; March, 78¼; April, 81¼; May, 82⅛. Corn—February, 43; March, 43 a.; May, 43 a.

NEW YORK—Wheat—February, ——; March 90⅛ a.; April, 91⅞ a.; May, 93⅛ a.; June, 94⅛ a.; July ——. Corn—February, 52⅛; March, 50⅞ b.; April, 49⅞ a.; May 49⅛ a.; June, 49⅛ a. Oats—February, 38⅛; March, 36⅞; April 36⅜; May, 36⅜.

Provisions—CHICAGO—Pork—February $12 57½; March $12 57½; April $12 57½; May $12 77½. Lard—February 6⅞; March 6.85 to 6⅞; April 6.95; May 7.02½@7.05; Short ribs—February 6.20; March 6.20; April 6.30; May 6.40.

Cotton—NEW YORK—Futures closed steady; February 11.51; March 11.51; April 11.56; May 11.67; June 11.78; July 11.85; August 11.92; September 11.44; October 10.91; November 10.76. Sales, 144,500 bales.

NEW ORLEANS—Futures at 1:10 p. m. closed steady. February, 10.78; March, 10.82; April, 11.06; May, 11.26; June, 11.43; July, 11.56; August, 11.66; September, 11.03; October, 10.62; November 10.50; December, 10.50. Sales, 32,000 bales.

*Reported daily by Barnes & Durbin, Brokers in Petroleum, No. 118 N. Third street, Opposite Chamber of Commerce, St. Louis, Mo.*

OIL CITY MARKET, February 24.

| Opened. | Highest. | Lowest. | Closed. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 77 bid | 78¼ | 76⅛ | 78¼ |

Mushrush No. 2 came in doing 35 brls. an hour.

### Oil Strong.

PITTSBURG, PA., February 24.—Oil was active and strong. It opened at 78, advanced to 78¼, declined to 77⅞ and rallied at 1 o'clock to 77⅞.

### On the Curb.

Wheat weak; sellers at 90⅞. May puts sold at 90⅞, and calls at 91⅛. Puts in Chicago 82⅛, and calls at 83⅛.

### Stocks of Grain in St. Louis Elevators.

| | Wheat. | Corn. | Oats. | Rye. | Barley. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| To-day........ | 2,640,430 | 724,988 | 59,789 | 6,314 | 11,084 |
| Saturday........ | 2,622,052 | 659,666 | 59,864 | 6,040 | 14,677 |
| | No. 2 Red. | No. 2 Mixed. | No. 2 | No. 2 | |
| To-day........ | 1,702,419 | 549,569 | 24,867 | 4,828 | ...... |
| Saturday........ | 1,694,691 | 487,941 | 29,445 | 4,661 | ...... |

### Movement of Wheat and Corn To-Day.

| | Receipts. Wheat. | Receipts. Corn. | Shipments. Wheat. | Shipments. Corn. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| St. Louis............ | 78,722 | 231,900 | 4,883 | 80,617 |
| Chicago............ | 57,223 | 126,690 | 4,811 | 87,663 |
| Milwaukee............ | 45,254 | 2,400 | 2,596 | ...... |
| Baltimore............ | 49,681 | 154,177 | ...... | 279,499 |
| Toledo............ | 30,000 | 16,000 | 81,000 | 28,000 |
| New York............ | 29,400 | 196,208 | 47,850 | 40,421 |

CHICAGO INSPECTIONS — 182 cars spring wheat; 7 cars winter wheat; 166 cars corn; 114 cars oats; 7 cars rye; 94 cars barley.

### Receipts and Shipments of Leading Articles for the Past 24 Hours.

| Articles. | Receipts. | Shipments. |
|---|---|---|
| Flour, brls........ | 9,889 | 18,734 |
| Wheat, bu........ | 73,722 | 4,883 |
| Corn, bu........ | 231,900 | 80,617 |
| Oats, bu........ | 40,400 | 6,505 |
| Rye........ | 2,750 | 1,637 |
| Barley........ | 17,400 | 1,950 |
| Hay, tons........ | 692 | 156 |
| Pork, brls........ | 75 | 123 |
| Hams, lbs........ | 24,560 | 46,185 |
| Meats, lbs........ | 559,370 | 422,905 |
| Lard, lbs........ | 124,870 | 254,587 |
| Grease........ | 31,680 | 5,650 |

### Grain Inspections.

INTO ELEVATORS—Wheat—1 car No. 3 hard winter; 2 cars No. 2 Mediterranean; 2 cars No. 3 do; 63 cars No. 2 red winter; 33 cars No. 3 do; 9 cars No. 4 winter; 17 cars rejected do; total, 127 cars. Corn—30 cars No. 2 white-mixed: 11 cars rejected do; 266 cars No. 2 mixed; 26 cars rejected: 1 car no grade; total, 334 cars. Oats—6 cars No. 2: 8 cars rejected: total, 14 cars. Rye—4 cars No. 2; 2 cars rejected: total 6 cars. Total in, 481 cars.

OUT OF ELEVATORS—Wheat—3 cars No. 2 Mediterranean; 3 cars No. 3 do; 6 cars No. 3 red winter; 4 car rejected winter; total, 16 cars. Corn—1 car No. 2 white-mixed; 2 cars rejected do; 15 cars No. 2 mixed; 11 cars rejected; total, 29 cars. Oats—1 car No. 2. Rye—2 cars No. 2. Total out, 48 cars.

### Cotton.

The course of the market to-day was strongly bullish, both spots and futures showing a marked upward tendency, and a largely increased movement. At New York, however, spots were dull and nominal at ⅛ advance, middlings being quoted at 11¼c. New Orleans was firm at 10⅝, while cables reported a steady but somewhat inactive market at 1-16 advance. The local market was also higher by 1-16, and the movement was the largest we have been enabled to report for a long time past, the aggregate sales footing up over 4,200 bales. The speculative markets were higher from the outset and before the close showed an advance of 10 to 12 points on this side and 1-64 to 2-64d at Liverpool. The amount of business transacted was very large, Manchester reported cloths quiet with a limited inquiry, but yarns were dull and unchanged.

LOCAL SPOT QUOTATIONS.—Low ordinary 8; ordinary 9; good ordinary 9⅝; low middling 10⅛; middling 10⅝; good middling 10⅞; middling fair 11⅛. Stained and tinged ⅛c to ¼c less than quotations for white.

RECEIPTS, SHIPMENTS AND STOCKS.—Gross receipts to-day 814 bales against 876 bales last year; since September, 1884, 257,025 bales, against 252,923 same time last year; shipments to-day 636 bales, against 1,672 bales last year; since September 1, 1884, 222,686, against 221,689 bales same time last year; stocks in compresses and warehouses to-day 35,851 against 35,822 bales.

NET RECEIPTS, EXPORTS AND STOCKS—Net receipts at United States ports for four days 19,425 bales, against 31,860 last week and 41,387 same time last year; exports, 22,383 bales, against 46,092 same time last year; stock, 823,171 bales, against 953,941 same time last year; net receipts since September 1, 4,359,115.

LIVERPOOL, February 24.—Uplands 6 1-16d; Orleans 6⅛d. Sales 8,000 bales. Futures closed firm. February and March 6 5-64d; March and April 6 6-64d; April and May 6 11-64d; May and June 6 14-64d; June and July 6 18-64d; July and August 6 21-64d; August and September 6 24-64d.

### The Markets.

FORENOON SESSION, CLOSING 1 P. M.

Wheat—Hardly a chirp was heard from the traders when the market opened this morning after the two days' cessation from business. Although they had been indulging in no trading for that length of time, there were seemingly no one in anyways anxious to do anything, and as there were no orders here trading was just simply insignificant. At all other markets the same disgusting dullness was reported and the reading of the English cable showed the same state of affairs prevailing on the other side. There were right good receipts at Western markets, but they will probably fall off again, owing to this last snow storm. The market opened ⅛c higher at 91⅝@⅞ for May, this advance being due to a better Chicago, where "war news" were said to be influencing values. This seemed to be about the other backer the bulls could muster to their assistance and it was a wonderfully weak one. There was no buying here on crop reports and the heavy fall of snow dampened the bulls ardor somewhat, so that after a short while there was an easing off on a let down in in price at other points and May sold down to 91⅛. At this rate only a couple trades were made (one on first call) and there was such a demand for it and so few sellers that the market soon recovered to 91⅜. Subsequently prices fluctuated beween 91⅛ and 91⅞, with most sales "on the split," at 91⅛@¾, but closed weak with sellers at 91⅛@⅜, which was ⅛c above Saturday's close. February sold ⅛c lower at 86⅛. March was offered at 87⅛, bid 87⅛; June at 92⅝, bid 92⅜; year at 86⅜, bid 86⅛. The cash market was firm and steady, but quiet, as the demand and offerings were small. Millers bought nearly all that sold, and a little was taken on order account. No. 2 red 87@86⅛ this side; No. 3 red 81 in A., 81⅛ in U., 81⅛@81⅛ this side; No. 4, 71 in St. L., 72⅛ bid for E.; rejected 60 bid regular; No. 2 Mediterranean 85⅛ bid for Valley and this side; No. 3 do 81 bid for St. L. and D.

Corn was steady and really showed firmness, considering the liberal arrivals here, but as it was only natural to expect light receipts as a result of last night's snow, the increased offerings failed to influence the market. In fact, there was nothing going on to sway prices either one way or other and they consequently showed no material change. February sold uniformly at 37⅛. March brought 37@36⅞ on first and 36⅞ on second cal, while April sold at 37⅞ and 37⅛@⅛ respectively. May sold at 38⅛ until late, when it went off to 38⅛, for year 35⅞ was bid. Outside of No. 2 mixed the cash market was higher, and that grade was steady. Shorts were the principal buyers of the speculative grade and the others sold to order dealers. No. 2 mixed 37 regular, 37⅛ in special houses; No. 2 white-mixed 39⅛ in St. L., 39⅞ bid for E.; rejected do 38 in St. L. & C; rejected 36@⅛ in St. L., 36⅛ bid for C, 36⅛ for E. side, 36⅛ for V; no-grade 33 E. side.

Oats were still firm, but no higher and were very quiet. May had 32 bid, but later sold at 31⅞; for June 31⅛@⅜ bid. There was an order demand for cash grades that paid higher prices, or at any rate the prices lately asked by sellers. No. 2 31⅛ in D., 30⅞ bid for St. L.; rejected 30⅛ in St. L., 31⅛ in A., 31 bid for V.

Rye—A sale of grade rejected was made at 60 and that was all done. No. 2 was offered at 64⅛, bid 61.

Barley dull and unchanged. Quotations are as follows: Rejected 40@45; No. 3 50@55; prime 60@65; choice 70@72; fancy 75@80.

FLOUR—As regards trading the market was considerably improved, Southern orders being quite plentiful, and this, with the fair local demand, strengthened the market and inspired a better feeling, but left prices without a change. Family was in especial request, and most trading was in this brand. Sales were made upon the following basis: We quote x $2 25@2 40; xx $2 60@2 70; xxx $2 75@2 85; family $3 05@3 15; choice $3 30@3 40, fancy $3 75@3 85; extra do including favorite brands $3 95@4 15; patent $4 40@5 00. These prices are for less on arrival at depot and levee; order lots higher.

Cornmeal—Dull at $2 30@2 35 on orders delivered; pearl meal and grits nominal at $3@3 25.

Rye Flour—Firm at $4 10@4 15.

Bran in active demand and strong. Sacked 65@66 at country points and mill, 65@68 f. o. b. this and 65@67 E. side; bulk 58 at country point, 59 E. track.

Hay continues firm, especially the best grades, as the demand is good and runs ahead of the supply on sale.

Provisions were depressed by the unfavorable market news that came from Chicago, where May pork sold at $12 80. The effect of this decline was not alone to weaken values in the home market, but also to intensify the dullness if that was possible. There was little demand anyway, and business was very light. Sales of standard mess pork were at $13 25 and hardside was held at $12 87½; April offered at $13 20, bid $13 05; May at $13 30, bid $13 12½. Prime steam lard was nominal at 6⅞@6.80. In dry salt meats there was hardly any trading outside of a few sales boxed shoulders at 4¾, and longs at 6.40, f. o. b. on cash orders 20-day meats could be bought at 4⅞ for shoulders, 6.20 for longs, 6.35 for, c'ribs and 6.60 for shorts, but none selling. Packed bacon longs sold at 7, c'ribs at 7¼ and shorts at 7⅛@7.31. Hams 9½@12. Breakfast bacon 9¾@11. Beef—Family $10@13 ₩ brl according to brands on orders higher, $6@7 ₩ ½ brl; dried $12@13; selected $15; smoked tongues $6@5 50 ₩ dozen. Tallow—Prime in oil barrels 5⅜c; choice do 6; in irregular packages ⅛c less; No. 2 5⅛; tallow grease 5. Grease—Brown and yellow 4@4⅛; white 4⅛@5. Salt—Domestic $1@1 10per brl as in size of lot; ground alum $1 per sack—small way higher.

Highwines—Active, with sales of 271 brls on a basis of $1 14. Cincinnati steady at $1 13. Chicago $1 15. Peoria $1 14.

Lead—Firmer, with sales reported of 100 tons "desilverized" refined at $3 50 delivered to East track, this for late March delivery and for shipment East. But other brands of refined were offered this side to local corroders at $3 45 and then little could be sold, only 50 tons being reported at $2 45 delivered. Quite a large amount of common has sold lately to go to Eastern corroders on a basis of $3 35 in St. Louis.

Grass Seeds—Clover in good demand and prices firm, with a tendency to greater strength. Timothy steady. Red top nominal. Clover salable at $4 75@4 85 for common and $4 95@5 00 for prime; timothy $1 40@1 41 for prime; inferior $1 25@1 35; red top 30@35c. Sales 22 sks clover at $4 85, and 7 sks at $4 90.

Flaxseed—Car lots salable at $1 40 on a basis of pure.

Hempseed—Prime offered at $2 50.

Castor Beans—Prime worth $1 80; little offered.

### Country Produce.

APPLES—Receipts 820 brls. Good demand for sound, which are scarce. We quote: Western Genitan at $1 90@2 20; Ben Davis at $2 50@3; Eastern Baldwin $2 50@2 65; mixed varieties at $2 10@2 25, according to quality and condition.

DRIED FRUIT—Apples sell slowly; peaches scarce and firm. Quote: Peaches—Prime 7½@8; choice halves 7⅞@8; mixed 6⅛@7c. Apples — Common Western 3¼@3⅞; prime quarters 3⅞@4; fair to prime Southern 3@3⅛; sun-dried cores and peelings ⅛; evaporated do 1@1½c; evaporated quarters and sliced 6@7½c.

POTATOES—Receipts 4,164. Supply very small, and there is a great scarcity of good stock. Eastern Rose 58@60c and Burbank 60c; Iowa Bukes 50@52; Wisconsin peerless 55@57; rose 55@57½; Burbank 58@60; Minnesota 50@55.

ONIONS—Very scarce and firm. Prime red are quotable at $3 50@3 65 per brl. $1 35@1 40 per bu.

BUTTER—Receipts 50,056 lbs. Steady and firm for desirable grades, with supply and demand light. We quote: Creamery—Choice 30@31; fancy 33; seconds at dairy rates. Dairy—Choice at 25@26c, though a shade more is obtained for fancy selections in a small way; fair to prime 17@22; low to fair 10@14. Near-by make and store-packed 6@8 for common, 8@13. Near-by make and store-packed 6@8 for common, and 11@12 for choice fresh. Roll—Near-by at 7@10 for common, to 12@12½ for choice fresh; Northern 12@13 for fair, to 14@15 for choice.

CHEESE—Full cream 8@10; choice to fancy, including Wisconsin, 11@12½; part skim 7@9; poor 2@4.

EGGS—Receipts 1,116 pkgs. In good supply, fair demand and steady at 22c for fresh. Frozen, preserved and inferior less.

POULTRY—Dressed: Offerings very light and prices unchanged. Demand fair for turkeys and ducks, but chickens and geese rather slow. Sales ranged: Turkeys—Choice medium weight at 12½ ₩ lb; large, rough or dry picked 11@12; chickens—small and rough $2 50@2 75; good to choice $ @3 25; fancy large and fine worth more. Ducks $3@3 50 for small to fair sized, and $3 75@4 for choice. Geese $3@4 for rough to fair; $5@6 for choice; $7 for fancy. Live—Not wanted; weater too cold.

GAME—Supply light and little doing. Brisk demand for ducks, and fair for all else. Sales: Rabbits 90c@$1 00; jack rabbit $2; squirels 60c; snipe $2; ducks—mixed $1 50; teal $2 50; mallard, $3; wild turkey, 7@8c per lb.

VEALS—Quiet. Live—Small fat. 8c; medium, 7@7½c., and heretics 3@5c per lb.

FURS—Quiet and easy. We quote: Otter—No. 1 $4@4 50; No. 2 $2 50@3; No. 3 $2@2 50; No. 4 50c@$1. Beaver — No. 1 large $3@3 50; No. 1 medium $2@2 25; No. 2 $1 75@2; No. 3 $1@1 50; No. 4 50c@75. Bear — 50c to $5. Wolf — Prairie 25c to 85; timber $1 to $2. Raccoon—No. 1 large 45c@50c; No. 1 medium 30c@35c; No. 2 15c@20c; No. 3 5c@10c; No. 4 5@8c. Mink—No. 1 large 25c to 30c; No. 2 15c to 20c; No. 3 10c; No. 4 5c. Fox—Red, prime 60c to 80c; gray do 40c to 60c. Skunk—Black cased 65c to 70c; short stripe do 45c to 50c; narrow stripe do 20c to 25c; broad do do 10c. Pole cat 5c to 10c. Opossum—Large cased 10c to 12c; open 8c to 10c. M. Rats 5 to 8c. Wild cat 15 to 20c house cat 5c to 10c; badger 40c to 50c. Southern stock 15@25 per cent less, according to quality and section from which they are trapped.

WOOL—Received 47,318 lbs. Offerings light; market quiet and steady. We quote: Tubwashed—Choice 28c; fair 27c; dingy and low 23 to 25c. Unwashed—Choice medium 20c; fair medium 17c to 18c, selected light fine 16c to 17c; good do 15c to 16c; heavy 14c to 15c; choice combing 20c; combing, lower grades 14c to 17c. Kansas—Choice bright medium 17c to 18c; good do 14c to 15c; light fine 15c to 16c; heavy 13c to 14c, low and coarse 11c to 12c. Texas—Choice 12-months' growth 18c; fall clip 13c to 15c. heavy Western 10c to 12c. Black 3c to 5c less, and burry, cotted, etc., 3c to 10c less. Southern burry 8c to 10c.

HIDES — Firm. We quote. Green salted at 8⅛c; damaged 7⅛c; branded 15 per cent off; bulls or stags 6c; part cured 7⅛; green (uncured) 6⅛c; do (dry) damaged 5⅛c; glue stock 3c. Dry flint 16c; damaged 13⅛c kip and calf skin 13; bulls or stags 10; dry salted 12; damaged 10; glue stock 5c.

FEATHERS—Quiet and easy. We quote: Prime live geese at 47c in large sks and 49 in small; unripe, quilly, etc., 40 to 43; mixed 10 to 35; tare 3 and 10 per ct

DEER SKINS—Prime dry flint at 30c; dry damaged and salted 14 to 15.

SHEEP PELTS—Prime green salted, large and full wooled 50 to 70; dry do do 40 to 60.

BEESWAX—Quiet at 26 for choice.

# LIVE STOCK.

| | Cattle. | Hogs. | Sheep. | Horses & Mules |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Receipts......... | 1,891 | 8,688 | 1,832 | 371 |
| Shipments......... | 876 | 8,890 | 2,553 | 247 |

CATTLE—For the lack of supply the trade this morning was rather inactive and slow at about steady and well sustained rates. Shipping orders were small, and this branch of the market was devoid of urgency, though there was a very good inquiry for the best grades of steers, and these, whenever found, met with quick sale at quotations. Common and medium cattle made up the bulk of the supply, but fortunately offerings were limited to less than fifteen car loads, owing to delayed trains, and values held up on all descriptions. The butchering and local demand was not large and the market was only passably active. We quote:

RULING QUOTATIONS—Exporters $5 75@6 00; good to heavy steers, $5 20@5 50; light to fair steers, $4 90@5 00; common to medium native steers, $4 25@4 75; fair to good Colorado steers, $4 00@4 65; Southwest steers, $3 25@4 00; light to good stockers, $2 90@4 00; fair to good feeders, $4 00@4 60; native cows and heifers, common to choice, $3 00@4 00; scalawags of any kind, $1 40@3 00; milch cows and calves, $4@5; veal calves, $6@12.

REPRESENTATIVE SALES.
National Stock Yards.

| No. | Description. | Av. | Price. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 20 | native butchers........ | 953 | $4 50 |
| 20 | native butchers........ | 1,073 | 4 40 |
| 24 | native butchers........ | 797 | 4 25 |
| 14 | native steers........ | 1,186 | 4 75 |
| 16 | native steers........ | 1,190 | 4 45 |
| 15 | native steers........ | 1,274 | 5 00 |

UNION STOCK YARDS.
Daily Report of Sales of Cattle.

| No. | Description. | Av. | Price. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 16 | native steers........ | 928 | $4 50 |
| 20 | Southwest steers........ | 293 | 4 85 |
| 12 | Southwest calves........ | 343 | 4 00 |
| 11 | common dairy cows........ | 772 | 3 12½ |
| 18 | medium dairy cows........ | 991 | 3 50 |
| 17 | native feeders........ | 1,228 | 4 85 |

200 retail from $3 12½ to $5 50.

HOGS—The condition of this market at the opening and up to the time outside advices were received, was decidedly strong and the early sales were made at prices which indicated more strength in values. This was due in part to the exceedingly small offerings caused by delayed trains and the general good demand from all classes of buyers who were well represented. A reaction took place, however, later, Chicago advices influencing the market for the worse, and holders who had not seized their opportunity during the earlier hours to close out found that it was next to impossible to get the same rates as were current at the start, and in fact late sales were on a basis of 5c decline. There was a fair number of shipping orders to be filled, and sales were made at $4 65@4 75 for good yorkers, and $4 15@4 35 for pigs. City butchers were the next best buyers at a range from $4 85@5 10, the few to packers bringing $4 50@4 75. Later sales were made upon a basis of $4 60@4 70 for yorkers, $4 55@4 85 for mixed to good packing, and $4 80@5 10 for butchers to choice heavies.

REPRESENTATIVE SALES.
National Stock Yards.

| No. | Av. | Price | No. | Av. | Price |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 29 | 196 | $4 75 | 38 | 193 | $4 75 |
| 19 | 171 | 4 25 | 19 | 216 | 4 75 |
| 65 | 178 | 4 70 | 33 | 198 | 4 70 |
| 98 | 237 | 4 80 | 22 | 201 | 4 75 |
| 37 | 164 | 4 30 | 26 | 212 | 4 80 |
| 19 | 172 | 4 65 | 67 | 168 | 4 70 |
| 20 | 292 | 4 85 | 23 | 280 | 5 05 |
| 45 | 183 | 4 55 | 51 | 207 | 4 85 |
| 50 | 263 | 5 10 | 34 | 125 | 4 15 |
| 19 | 258 | 5 00 | 23 | 280 | 5 05 |
| 72 | 196 | 4 55 | 91 | 278 | 5 00 |
| 92 | 130 | 4 25 | 13 | 318 | 4 70 |
| 71 | 222 | 4 70 | 79 | 196 | 4 50 |
| 45 | 246 | 4 80 | 41 | 284 | 5 10 |
| 20 | 292 | 4 75 | 61 | 236 | 5 10 |
| 78 | 186 | 4 65 | 32 | 270 | 4 75 |
| 54 | 180 | 4 70 | 43 | 132 | 4 25 |

UNION STOCK YARDS.
Daily Live Stock Report of Sales of Hogs.

| No. | Av. | Price. | No. | Av. | Price |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 64 | 232 | $4 80 | 62 | 276 | $4 75 |
| 28 | 282 | 5 00 | 57 | 185 | 4 75 |
| 71 | 223 | 4 80 | 19 | 224 | 4 90 |
| 64 | 240 | 4 85 | 27 | 243 | 4 90 |
| 23 | 315 | 5 00 | 34 | 197 | 4 50 |
| 26 | 280 | 4 85 | 17 | 209 | 4 85 |
| 47 | 211 | 4 95 | 56 | 232 | 4 85 |
| 51 | 191 | 4 75 | | | |

SHEEP—In small offerings. Good of all kinds in demand and steady, but common an thin dull and easy.

UNION STOCK YARDS.
Daily Live Stock Report of Sales of Sheep.

| No. | Av. | Price. | No. | Av. | Price. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 85 | 80 | $2 60 | 69 | 75 | $2 50 |
| 83 | 93 | 3 25 | 91 | 87 | 3 00 |

### Horses and Mules.

Quotations by Croswhite, Patton & Ruber.

HORSES—Heavy draught, extra, $140 to $175. heavy draught, good, $125 to $140; streeters, extra, $115 to $130; streeters, good, $110 to $120; Southern horses, extra, $85 to $125; Southern horses, good, $50 to $80; plugs $25 to $70.

MULES—14 hands, 4 to 7 years old, $80 to $90; 14½ hands, 4 to 7 years old, $105 to $112; 15 hands, 4 to 7 years old, $115 to $125; 15½ hands, 4 to 7 years old, extra, $115 $150 to $160; 16 to 16½ hands, 4 to 7 years old, $160 to $180; heavy plugs, $60 to $100.

### Live Stock Markets by Telegraph.

KANSAS CITY, MO., February 24.—Receipts—Cattle 1,134; weak and lower; exporters $5 45@5 65; native shippers $4 75@5 30; cows $2 50@3 40. Receipts—Hogs 3,317; dull at 5@10c lower; good heavy $4 55@4 70; mixed packers $4 25@4 50.

CHICAGO, February 24.—Hogs—Receipts 29,000 head; market quiet and easy; light $4 35@4 60; rough packing $4 35@4 60; heavy packing and shipping $4 70@5 05. Cattle—Receipts 7,500 head; slow; shade lower; export ——; shipping $4 25@6 00; bulk $5 00@5 25; Texans $3 75@4 75. Sheep—Receipts 6,500 head; lower; sales $2 25@4 50.

### MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

BALTIMORE, MD., February 24.—Flour quiet and steady; Howard street and Western superfine $2 75@3; extra $3 10@3 65; family $3 87@4 75. Wheat—Western easier and dull: No. 2 winter red spot and February 87@87⅛; March 87⅞@88⅛; May 92⅛@92¼. Corn—Western steady and inactive; mixed spot 48¼@48⅜; February 48⅛@48¼; March 47⅝@47⅞; May 48¼@48⅜; steamer 45⅞@47. Oats scarce and higher; Western white 38@39; mixed 36@37; Pennsylvania 36@39. Rice quiet at 73@75. Provisions steady; mess pork, old, $13 75; new, $14. Bulk meats—Shoulders and clear rib sides packed 6 and 7¾. Bacon—Shoulders 6¾; clear rib sides 8⅛. Hams 12⅛@13. Lard—Refined 8⅛. Butter firm for Western packed at 11@22; creamery 23@34. Eggs scarce and firm at 25@26. Petroleum nominally steady; refined 7⅛@7⅞. Coffee steady and dull; Rio cargoes ordinary to fair 8⅛@9⅞. Sugar quiet; A soft at 6⅛. Copper—Refined steady at 10⅞@11. Whisky quiet at $1 20@1 21. Freights to Liverpool quiet; cotton 7-32d; flour 1s 6d; grain nominally 4d. Receipts—Flour 2,457 brls; wheat 50,000 bu; corn 154,000 bu; oats 10,000 bu; rye 1,100 bu. Shipments—Wheat 5,000; corn 242,000 bu.

NEW YORK, February 24.—Flour—Receipts 24,092 brls.; sales 10,000 brls; quiet; prices without decided change. Wheat—⅛@⅜c higher, but very quiet; No. 1 white nominal. Receipts 29,400 bu; sales 48,000 bu.; No. 2 red March at 90⅛@91; 40,000 bu April at 92⅛@92⅝; 248,000 bu May at 93⅛@94; 16,000 bu June at 94⅞@95. Corn—Without decided change and dull; mixed Western spot at 52@54⅛; futures 49@52; receipts 196,208 bu, sales 248,000 bu. Oats ⅛@⅛c higher; Western at 38@40⅛; receipts 106,400 bu; sales 75,000 bu. Beef—Quiet and unchanged; new extra mess $11 50@12. Pork—Steady; new mess at $14@14 25. Lard—Dull and lower; steam rendered at 7.25. Butter—Quiet and unchanged; Western at 10@36. Cheese dull at 1@13⅛. Sugar quiet and unchanged. Molasses firm. Petroleum steady. Rice firm. Coffee dull. Freights steady. Spirits of Turpentine steady at 31⅛@32. Rosin dull at $1 20@1 25. Western eggs steady at 28⅛@29. Tallow steady at 6 5-16.

KANSAS CITY, MO., February 24.—The Daily Indicator reports: Wheat—Receipts, 46,027 bu; shipments, 45,617 bu; in store, 550,873 bu; steady; No. 2 red cash, sales at 62⅛@62⅞; March, sales at 62⅛@62⅞; May, sales at 65⅛; No. 2 soft cash 69⅛ bid, 70 asked. Corn—Receipts, 52,275 bu; shipments, 13 400 bu; in store, 149,268 bu; steady; No. 2 cash, sales at 31; March 30⅛ bid, 30⅞ asked; May 31⅛ bid, 31⅛ asked; June, sales at 31⅛; No. 2 white cash, sales at 32⅛@32⅝. Oats—No. 2 cash 26⅛ bid, 27⅛ asked. Rye—No. 2 cash 56 bid, 56⅛ asked. Eggs and butter unchanged. Hay unchanged. Provisions—Hams 10⅛; breakfast bacon 11; tierce lard 8⅛.

NEW ORLEANS, February 24.—Flour quiet and firm; extra fancy $4 65@4 75; fancy $4 40@4 45; choice $4 20. Cornmeal easy at $2 60@2 65. Corn scarce; mixed, yellow and white 65 asked. Oats steady; No. 2, 41⅛@42. Bran firm; held at $1 10. Hay firm; receipts light, at $19@20; prime $16@18. Pork quiet at $13 50. Cut meats quiet; shoulders 4⅞@5; sides 6⅛. Bacon quiet, 6@7⅛, l. c. s, 7⅛@⅛. Hams quiet at 10⅛@⅛. Lard quiet, refined 7⅛. Whisky steady at $1 17. Exchange on New York 100 premium; sight 200 premium. Cotton—Spot firm at 10⅛; net receipts 3,948 bales; gross receipts 4,660 bales.

CHICAGO, February 24.—Wheat active and strong, early; but ruled dull and lower toward the close at 78 cash for February, 78⅛ bid for March, 78⅜ bid for April, 83⅛ bid and May. Corn steady at 37⅛ cash and February, 37⅜ March, 37⅞ April, 41⅛@41⅛ May. Oats easy at 27⅛ cash, February and March, 27⅛ asked April, 30⅞ bid May. Rye 64. Barley 63@65. Flaxseed $1 46. Whisky $1 15. Pork lower at $1: 65 bid February and March, $12 75 April, $12 85 bid May. Lard lower, at 6.90 February and March, 7.05@7.07½ May.

CINCINNATI, OHIO, February 24.—Flour—Dull; family $3 50@3 85, fancy $4 10@4 40. Wheat scarce and easier at 85. Corn active and firm; No. 2 mixed 43¼@44. Oats dull at 33⅛. Rye firm at 72. Barley steady; extra No. 3 spring at 65. Pork dull at $13 25. Lard dull at 7. Bulk meats quiet at 5@6⅛. Bacon steady at 6@7⅛@7⅛. Whisky quiet at $1 13.

MILWAUKEE, February 24.—Wheat dull; No. 2 at 77⅛; February 76⅛; March 76⅛; April ——; May 83⅛; receipts 43,000 bu; shipments 3,000 bu. Corn easier; No. 2 37⅛. Oats dull; No. 2 27⅛; No. 2 white 30⅛. Rye nominal; No. 1, 65⅛. Barley steady, No. 2 54⅛; extra No. 3 51; receipts 23,000; shipments 5,000 bu.

TOLEDO, OHIO, February 24.—Wheat quiet; No. 2 cash 79⅛; March 80; April 82; May 83; No. 2 soft 85⅛. Corn—Cash active; futures nominal; No. 2 cash 43⅛; No. 2 yellow 43⅛; No. 3 43. Oats firm; No. 2 cash 32 bid; rejected 31. Clover active; mammoth $4 95; prime $4 90; No. 2 $4 75. Hogs, $5 75.

DETROIT, MICH., February 24.—Wheat weak; No. 1 white 87⅛ cash, 87⅞ March, 89 bid April, 90⅞ bid May; No. 2 red 86 cash, 86⅛ March, 89⅛ May; No. 3 red 77⅛; receipts, 15,000 bu. Corn—No. 2 43. Oats—Light mixed 32⅛; No. 2 white 33⅛; No. 2 32.

BUFFALO, N. Y., February 25.—Wheat—Quiet; sales 4,000 bu No. 1 hard spring at 94; No. 2 red nominal at 91. Corn—Scarce and in good demand; 15 cars No. 3 mixed at 47⅛. Oats—Firm; No. 2 white at 36 on track.

CLEVELAND, OHIO, February 24.—Petroleum quiet; S. W. 110°, 7⅛.

WILMINGTON, DEL., February 24.—Turpentine steady at 28⅛.

### Foreign.

LIVERPOOL, February 24.—Wheat arrived dull and heavy; corn arrived no business. Wheat to arrive not much doing; corn to arrive steady. Mark Lane wheat and corn dull. Country markets easy. Weather mild. Spot wheat dull. Spring 6s 9d to 6s 11d; red winter 6s 10d@7s; No. 1 California 7s to 7s 2d; No. 2 do 6s 6d to 6s 9d; mixed Western corn dull and easier at 4s 5⅛d. Demand from United Kingdom and Continent dull and neglected for wheat and corn.

LIVERPOOL, February 24, 2:30 P. M.—Pork—Poor demand and dull; prime mess Eastern 63s; prime mess Western 57s 6d; dull; shoulders 27s; dull. Lard—Spot and futures dull, with poor demand; spot 36s 3d; February 36s 3d; March and April 36s 6d; dull. Wheat—Dull and in poor demand; new No. 2 winter 6s 11d; new No. 2 spring 6s 9d; easy. Flour—Poor demand; St. Louis family winter 8s, dull. Corn—Spot and futures steady, with fair demand; new-mixed Western spot 4s 6d; do February 4s 6d; March 4s 5⅛d; April 4s 5⅛d.

LIVERPOOL, February 24.—3 P. M.—Turpentine spirits steady at 22s 6d.

LONDON, February 24.—2 P. M.—Turpentine spirits steady at 21s 6d.

### Indications.

WASHINGTON, D. C., February 24. — For the South Atlantic States—Partly cloudy weather; light northeast to southeast winds; slight rise in temperature; lower barometer. West Gulf States—Partly cloudy weather and rains; nearly stationary temperature; northerly winds, becoming variable. Tennessee and Ohio Valleys—Rain and snows and generally cloudy weather; easterly winds becoming variable; lower barometer; slight rise in temperature. Lower Lake Region—Increasing cloudiness with snow; slightly warmer weather, winds shifting to easterly; lower barometer. Upper Lake Region—Increasing cloudiness and snow; variable winds, generally from north to east in southern portions; lower barometer; slight rise in temperature. Upper Mississippi Valley—Snow and partly cloudy weather; variable winds, preceded by northeast winds in southern portions; generally lower barometer; nearly stationary temperature. Missouri Valley—Local snows and partly cloudy weather; variable winds; lower barometer; slight fall in temperature in northern portions; nearly stationary temperature in southern portion. Cautionary signals continue at Indianola, Galveston and New Orleans.

### River Telegrams.

LOUISVILLE, KY., February 24.—At noon the river is still falling; 7 ft. in the canal; 4 ft. 10 in. in the chute on the falls. The heaviest snow of the year fell this morning; raining at noon. Ice is still gorged to the channel.

CAIRO, ILL., February 24.—Eckert had to return on account of ice, but left again this morning. Heavy snow last night. Cloudy and cool.

MEMPHIS, TENN., February 24.—River falling. No arrivals or departures. Damp and foggy.

CINCINNATI, OHIO, February 24.—River 11 feet and stationary. Snowing. Thermometer 32.

### Weather Bulletin.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
SIGNAL SERVICE, U. S. ARMY,
WASHINGTON, February 24, 1885, 3:59 A. M.

The following observations are taken at the same moment of time at all stations.

| STATIONS. | Barom. | Therm. | Wind. | Rainfall in 24 h. | State of Weather. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Vicksburg, Miss. | 30.25 | 45 | SE | .96 | Lt. Rain |
| Fort Smith, Ark. | down | 47 | ..... | ..... | ........ |
| Galveston, Texas | 29.90 | 55 | N | .48 | Lt. Rain. |
| New Orleans, La. | 29.78 | 60 | SE | ..... | Cloudy. |
| Little Rock, Ark. | 30.31 | 35 | N | 1.45 | Lt. Rain. |
| Shreveport, La | 30.00 | 34 | N | 2.08 | Lt. Rain. |
| Cincinnati, Ohio | 30.32 | 34 | E | *— | Lt. Rain. |
| Indianapolis, Ind. | 30.19 | 22 | NE | *— | Lt. Rain. |
| Louisville, Ky. | 30.43 | 23 | NE | .13 | Hy. Snow |
| Memphis, Tenn. | 29.90 | 38 | NW | .89 | Cloudy. |
| Nashville, Tenn. | 30.14 | 40 | E | .44 | Lt. Rain. |
| Pittsburg, Pa. | 30.32 | 34 | NE | *— | Cloudy. |
| Chicago, Ill. | 30.30 | 14 | E | ..... | Cloudy. |
| Cairo, Ill. | 30.13 | 24 | NE | .23 | Lt. Rain. |
| Davenport, Iowa | 30.21 | 33 | E | ..... | Cloudy. |
| Des Moines, Iowa | 30.23 | 24 | E | .05 | Lt. Snow. |
| Keokuk, Iowa | 30.17 | 19 | NE | .08 | Lt. Snow. |
| La Crosse, Wis. | 30.32 | 13 | S | .01 | Clear. |
| Moorhead, Minn. | 30.35 | .. | S | ..... | Lt. Snow. |
| St. Louis, Mo. | 30.15 | 28 | E | .16 | Cloudy. |
| St. Paul, Minn. | 30.28 | 17 | ..... | .04 | Lt. Snow. |
| Springfield, Ill. | 30.30 | 27 | E | *— | Cloudy. |
| Leavenworth, Kan. | 30.14 | 20 | N | .29 | Cloudy. |
| Omaha, Neb. | 30.24 | 18 | N | .07 | Clear. |
| Yankton, Dak. | 30.28 | 20 | SE | ..... | Clear. |
| Bismarck, Dak. | 30.25 | —7 | ..... | ..... | Clear. |
| Fort Buford, Dak. | 30.17 | —9 | ..... | ..... | Clear. |
| Ft. Assinniboine, Mont | 30.10 | 17 | SW | ..... | Clear. |
| Deadwood, Dak. | 30.30 | 7 | E | .28 | Clear. |
| Fort Custer, Mont. | 30.14 | —3 | ..... | ..... | Clear. |
| Denver, Col. | 30.12 | 13 | N | .03 | Cloudy. |
| Dodge City, Kan. | 30.16 | 18 | NW | .24 | Cloudy. |
| Fort Elliott, Tex. | 30.15 | 24 | NW | .48 | Cloudy. |
| North Platte, Neb. | 30.11 | 01 | .... | .04 | Cloudy. |
| Fort Stockton, Tex. | down | .. | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| Salt Lake City | 30.16 | 70 | NW | .01 | Clear. |
| West Las Animas | 30.04 | 17 | E | .15 | Cloudy. |
| El Paso, Tex. | 30.08 | 39 | SE | .01 | Fair. |

*Dash (*—) indicates rainfall inappreciable.

ST. LOUIS, MO., February 24, 1885.

Daily report of the stage of water, with changes in the 24 hours ending 2 p. m., Washington time.

| STATIONS. | Above Low Bench-Mark. | Fall. | Rise. |
|---|---|---|---|
| St. Louis........ | Frozen | 0.0 ft. | 0.0 ft. |
| Kansas City, Mo... | Frozen | 0.0 ft. | 0.0 ft. |
| Hermann, Mo..... | Missing | 0.0 ft. | 0.0 ft. |
| Peoria, Ill ...... | 8.2 ft. | 0.0 ft. | 0.0 ft. |

* NOTE—All river readings recorded in feet and tenths.

### Local Weather Bulletin.

ST. LOUIS, MO., February 24, 1885.

| Local Time. | Ther. | Wind. Dir. | Wind. Vel. | Weather. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1.59 a. m. | 25.3 | E | 8 | Lt. Snow. |
| 5.59 a. m. | 28.0 | E | 12 | Lt. Snow. |
| 9.59 a. m. | 32.0 | NE | 8 | Cloudy. |
| 1.59 p. m. | 34.3 | NE | 5 | Lt. Snow. |

Maximum temperature 36.0.
Minimum temperature 24.0.
River stage 8.2 ft. Fall, 0.2 ft.

G. A. WEBER,
Corp. Sig. Corps U. S. A.

## RAILROAD TIME-TABLE.

**Arrival and Departure of Trains at the Union Depot (St. Louis Time).**

On and after January 13, 1884, trains will run as follows:

*Except Sunday. †Daily. ‡Except Saturday; ‡Except Monday; §Sunday; ¶Monday.

| | | Depart. | | Arrive. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| **CAIRO SHORT LINE RAILROAD.** | | | | |
| New Orleans and Texas Exp. | † | 8:50 pm | † | 9:55 pm |
| New Orl's, Memphis & Texas Ex | † | 2:30 pm | † | 7:00 pm |
| Cairo and Mobile Express | * | 7:35 am | * | 10:40 am |
| **CHICAGO, ALTON AND ST. LOUIS RAILROAD.** | | | | |
| Chicago Express Mail | * | 7:50 am | * | 8:05 pm |
| Kansas City Mail | * | 8:50 am | * | 6:55 pm |
| Chicago Through Ex.—Daily | † | 4:20 pm | * | 10:45 am |
| Jacksonville Accommodation | * | 6:00 pm | * | 2:00 pm |
| Chicago Lightning Express | † | 7:55 pm | † | 7:45 am |
| Kansas City Night Express | † | 8:45 pm | † | 7:00 am |
| **CHICAGO, BURLINGTON AND QUINCY RAILROAD.** | | | | |
| Minneapolis, Omaha, Denver and Rock Island Express | * | 8:55 am | * | 6:00 pm |
| Peoria, Ottumwa, C. Bluffs and Lincoln Express | * | 8:55 am | * | 5:00 pm |
| Chicago fast Owl Express | † | 8:00 pm | † | 7:50 am |
| Galesburg, Mendota, Aurora and Chicago Express | † | 8:00 pm | † | 7:50 am |
| Rock Island, Sterling, Dubuque and McGregor Express | ‡ | 8:00 pm | † | 7:50 am |
| Ottumwa, Des Moines, Omaha & Denver Express | † | 8:00 pm | † | 7:50 am |
| **ST. LOUIS AND CAIRO RAILROAD.** | | | | |
| Murphysboro Accommodation | | 5:30 pm | | 8:30 am |
| Mail | | 8:20 am | | 6:15 pm |
| **ILLINOIS CENTRAL RAILROAD.** | | | | |
| Chicago Express | | 7.00 pm | | 7:30 am |
| Day Express | | 8:00 am | | 8:00 pm |
| **ILLINOIS AND ST. LOUIS RAILROAD.** | | | | |
| Belleville Accommodation | | 8:20 am | | 8:00 am |
| Belleville Accommodation | | 11:00 am | | 10:40 am |
| Belleville Accommodation | | 2:30 pm | | 2:05 pm |
| Belleville Accommodation | | 5:30 pm | | 5:15 pm |

On Sundays Illinois and St. Louis Trains, 1, 2, 7 and 8 run 30 minutes later than card time.

**ST. LOUIS, IRON MOUNTAIN AND SOUTHERN RAILWAY.**

Mail and express passenger trains start from Union Depot and do not stop at Fourth and Chouteau Avenue Depot to take on passengers and baggage.

| | | Depart. | | Arrive. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Nashville and Atlanta Express | † | 8:15 am | † | 7:00 pm |
| Texas Pacific Express | † | 9:10 am | † | 7:50 pm |
| Houston and Galveston Express | † | 8:30 pm | † | 7:00 am |
| Mobile and New Orleans Ex. | † | 8:40 pm | † | 6:25 am |
| Arcadia Accommodation | † | 4:45 pm | | 8:24 am |

Fourth and Chouteau Avenue Depot.†

**KEOKUK AND ST. LOUIS LINE.**
ST. L., K., AND N. W. RAILWAY.

| | | Depart. | | Arrive. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| St. Paul, Omaha and Lake Minnetonka Express | * | 9:40 am | * | 5:00 pm |
| Quincy, Burlington, Des Moines and Spirit Lake Express | † | 8:15 pm | † | 6:20 am |
| **ST. LOUIS AND SAN FRANCISCO RAILWAY.** | | | | |
| Rose Hill Accommodation | * | 8:25 am | * | 10:50 pm |
| Day Express | * | 8:45 am | * | 5:45 pm |
| Rose Hill Accommodation | ‡ | 12:10 pm | * | 2:25 pm |
| Pacific Accommodation | * | 5:20 pm | * | 7:50 am |
| California Express | † | 8:25 pm | † | 7:15 am |
| **BRIDGE AND TUNNEL RAILROAD.** | | | | |
| Stock Yard Accommodation | | 6:20 am | | 6:35 pm |
| **ST. LOUIS, HANNIBAL AND KEOKUK RAILROAD.** | | | | |
| Bowling Green and Hannibal Mail and Ex., except Sunday | | 4:15 pm | | |
| St. Charles and St. Louis Mail and Express, except Sunday | | | | 11:00 am |
| **TEXAS AND ST. LOUIS RAILWAY.** | | | | |
| Arkansas and Texas Day Express | † | 2:30 pm | † | 10:40 am |
| Arkansas & Texas Night Ex. | † | 8:50 pm | † | 7:00 pm |
| **VANDALIA LINE.** | | | | |
| Cincinnati and Louisville | * | 7:50 am | * | 7:30 am |
| New York Express | * | 8:10 am | † | 5:00 pm |
| Effingham Accommodation | * | 5:20 pm | * | 8:00 am |
| New York Express | † | 7:00 pm | † | 7:20 pm |
| **WABASH, ST. LOUIS AND PACIFIC RAILWAY, EASTERN DIVISION.** | | | | |
| Mail and Express | * | 7:15 am | * | 7:40 pm |
| Atlantic Express | * | 8:00 am | * | 7:40 pm |
| Chicago Express | * | 8:00 am | * | 8:00 pm |
| Litchfield Accommodation | * | 4:00 pm | * | 11:00 am |
| Lightning Express | † | 6:40 pm | † | 8:40 am |
| Chicago Express | † | 8:00 pm | † | 7:45 am |
| **INDIANAPOLIS AND ST. LOUIS RAILROAD.** | | | | |
| Day Express | † | 7:45 am | † | 6:00 am |
| Mattoon Accommodation | † | 4:15 pm | † | 10:00 am |
| New York Express | † | 6:45 pm | † | 8:15 am |
| **LOUISVILLE, EVANSVILLE AND ST. LOUIS RAILROAD.** | | | | |
| Louisville Mail Daily | | 7:45 am | | 7:55 pm |
| Louisville Express Daily | | 7:50 pm | | 8:10 am |
| **LOUISVILLE AND NASHVILLE RAILROAD (St. Louis Division.)** | | | | |
| Nashville Mail | † | 7:45 am | † | 7:55 pm |
| Belleville Accommodation | * | 10:20 am | * | 1:20 pm |
| Nashville Express | † | 7:30 pm | † | 8:00 am |
| Mt. Vernon Accommodation | * | 4:55 pm | * | 10:10 am |
| **MISSOURI PACIFIC.** | | | | |
| Local Express daily | | 7:00 am | | 6:25 pm |
| Kirkwood, except Sunday | | 8:00 am | | 7:22 am |
| Pacific Accomod'n, Sunday only | | 8:10 am | | 6:25 pm |
| Day Express, daily | | 9:00 am | | 5:10 pm |
| Creve Cœur Lake, daily | | 9:20 am | | 8:20 am |
| Kirkwood, except Sunday | | 9:52 am | | 9:46 am |
| Kirkwood, Sunday only | | 1:00 pm | | |
| Kirkwood, except Sunday | | 3:17 pm | | 12:20 pm |
| Creve Cœur Lake, daily | | 5:00 pm | | 4:35 pm |
| Washington, except Sunday | | 5:25 pm | | 7:26 am |
| Kirkwood, except Sunday | | 6:20 pm | | 5:07 pm |
| Through Express, daily | | 8:20 pm | | 7:00 am |
| **MISSOURI, KANSAS AND TEXAS RAILWAY.** | | | | |
| Houston and Galveston Express | † | 9:00 am | † | 6:00 pm |
| San Antonio Express | † | 8:30 pm | † | 6:50 am |
| **OHIO AND MISSISSIPPI RAILWAY.** | | | | |
| Through Accommodation | * | 6:30 am | * | 7:55 pm |
| Day Express | † | 8:00 am | † | 6:20 pm |
| Salem Accommodation | * | 5:00 pm | * | 8:50 am |
| Louisville Express | † | 7:00 pm | † | 8:25 am |
| Cincinnati Express | † | 7:10 pm | † | 7:30 am |
| **WESTERN DIVISION.** | | | | |
| Ferguson Accommodation | * | 6:35 am | * | 9:00 am |
| Mail and Express | * | 9:10 am | * | 6:50 pm |
| Ferguson Ac'n, Sunday only | | 1:20 pm | | 10:10 am |
| Ferguson Ac'n, except Sunday | * | 1:55 pm | * | 1:55 pm |
| Warrenton Accommodation | * | 4:15 pm | * | 11:50 am |
| Ferguson Accommodation | * | 6:20 pm | * | 5:35 pm |
| Omaha Express | † | 9:25 pm | † | 6:50 am |
| Pacific Express | † | 9:25 pm | † | 6:50 am |

**TOLEDO, CINCINNATI AND ST. LOUIS.**

East Bound—Mail and Express 'bus leaves office, 405 N. 4th st. 4:00 p. m; train leaves depot East St. Louis 4:30 p. m. Local freight leaves East St. Louis 4:00 a. m.

West Bound—Mail and Express, arrives at East St. Louis 11:20 a. m.; arrive at St. Louis 11:50 a. m. Local freight arrives at East St. Louis at 7:20 p. m.

All trains except Sunday.
In effect February 10.

**WEST END NARROW GAUGE RAILWAY.**

Depot on Olive street, one block west of Grand av.

Trains Going East—Week days—Leave Florissant: 6 a. m., 11:45 a. m., 2:40 p. m. Arrive at St. Louis ... a. m., 1:00 a. m., 3:20 p. m., 5 p. m.

Trains Going East—Sundays—Leave Florissant ... 12:00 m., 4:40 p. m. Arrive at St. Louis ... reach ... a. m., 1:15 a. m., 5:25 p. m.

Trains Going West—Week days—Leave St. ... 9:30 a. m., 1:35 p. m., 4:35 p. m., 6:10 p. m. Arrive ... 9:40 a. m., 2:25 p. m., ... p. m. ...

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TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 1885.


THE Prize Cabinet competition is over, and Mr. CLEVELAND can name his Cabinet as soon as he is ready.

THE split in the local Republican perty is pretty nearly complete. The citizens can stand it if the bosses can.

IT has merely been a question of time when the River and Harbor bill would break down by its own weight and the time seems to have come now.

THE Senatorial Ephraim is wedded to its subsidy idols, and makes the continuance of government in this country depend on the grant of a subsidy of half a million to the Pacific Mail.

SENATOR BALL, having introduced a text-book bill, is surprised to find that a text-book ring has made its arrangements to make a job out of it. Senator BALL is just too innocent to live.

THE city holds the key of the gas situation, worth several million dollars. The question before the House of Delegates to-night is whether the city shall give away this valuable asset for nothing.

IF the River and Harbor Bill should come to grief St. Louis will have its share of the blame. When St. Louis took a hand in the matter, it indorsed the Hennepin Canal, and the Hennepin Canal is about the heaviest of the burdens under which the bill has broken down.

ENGLAND, it is said, has never been stripped so bare of household troops since the campaign of Waterloo. Coldstreams, Grenadiers and Scots, all gone; with the painful probability that, between the enemy **and the still more** deadly climate, a large proportion of these gallant fellows will never return.

HAVE we not had enough of the foolish defense of wells in the crowded part of the city? No argument in their favor has been advanced, except the stupid argument that if we cut off this poisonous supply from the poor consumers they will have to pay to get good water. Let the wells be condemned at once.

THE opening of the Art Department of the New Orleans Exposition yesterday added another to the many attractions of the great show. Thanks to the liberality of the art-loving citizens of St. Louis, and to good work done by the St. Louis committee, this city is well represented in the Art Department.

THE gentlemen who have taken charge of the movement to protect the southern part of the city against railroad obstruction have acted temperately and judiciously in appointing a committee to meet the railroad officials. The spirit in which they have accepted their responsibility is the best guarantee of success in their mission.

THERE is naturally a great deal of indignation over the idea that the Crittenden Convict Labor school book ring has tried to sell its profits in a text-book bill for $250,000 cash. But the case differs very little from that of the Water Gas bill, which involves a proposition to issue $500,000 of stock for $100,000 in cash as soon as the bill is passed.

IN the attempt to get a picture of BLAINE for the State Department, three portraits have been painted, the last one by ARCHER, an English artist. Secretary FRELINGHUYSEN, having written BLAINE two or three times about the Archer portrait and getting no reply, at last purchased it for $500. Now BLAINE accuses FRELINGHUYSEN of "spite." He ought to be thankful the job was not given to *Puck*.

IN consequence of the crowded condition of our columns, the publication of to-day's list of prize cabinets is postponed until to-morrow. According to the terms of the offer the competition closes to-day. We trust that the competitors have taken the trouble to verify the accuracy of their lists as they have appeared. As soon as the Cabinet is made known officially the winner will oblige us by claiming the prize.

HAVING failed to protect HUNTINGTON'S big land grab by defeating the Texas Pacific bill, the majority of the Senate yesterday tried to afford him some compensation, and succeeded in patching the Post Office Appropriation bill with an amendment providing for a subsidy of $800,000 to the Pacific Mail Steamship Company for alleged mail service via Panama. If the House concurs in this amendment, it simply contributes the amount appropriated to the support of HUNTINGTON'S and GOULD'S pooling arrangements and transportation monopoly. It is notorious that the steamship company's rations and rates are fixed according to the of those who control the Central and Pacific, and that this appropriation is from the Treasury to a monopoly combination of corporations that are trampling on the laws, robbing the Government, blackmailing commerce and yielding enormous profits to the managers. The animus of the thing came out when the majority promptly voted down VAN WYCK'S amendment providing that no part of the subsidy should be paid to any steamship company already in operation and paying rich dividends.

THE House yesterday concurred in the Senate amendments to the Contract Labor bill and the Texas Pacific Land Forfeiture bill, and both await only the President's approval to become laws. The Senate's amendments of the Texas Pacific bill were so trifling that they were manifestly adopted only to render further consideration by the House necessary, and thus cause the bill to be crowded out by other pressing business in the closing hours of the session. The trick has proved as vain as it was transparent, and the action of the Senate majority has been that of a lot of tools willing to betray a public trust, but shrinking at the last moment from the scourge of popular indignation.

HAD we imagined that our mildly critical notice of the picture which our enterprising contemporary borrowed from the *Century* would have so vexed the borrower, WEBSTER'S hat might have gone down to an admiring posterity as a faithful portrait of the man himself, so far as the POST-DISPATCH is concerned. Now that the damage has been done, an apology is due to the hat, and a suggestion to its unanimable champion. We fully appreciate the vigorous curiosity which impelled the *Globe-Democrat* to ransack "two very interesting volumes" of memoirs in a vain effort to find the remark attributed to SIDNEY SMITH; but as the sayings and doings of the witty churchman are scattered through at least an hundred volumes, is it not barely possible that the remark was made by SMITH, and credited to him by some reliable authority which our learned contemporary never saw? Strange as it may seem to the aforesaid contemporary, the sum total of "English literature" is *not* embraced in the "Concordance to Shakspeare," BARTLETT'S "Familiar Quotations," or even in the ingenious compilations of "Johannes Factotum."

## FACTS STRONGER THAN ARGUMENT.

### An Announcement Which is Worth Every One's While to Look Into.

Facts are stronger than any amount of argument. Prove to a man by the statement of actual facts that it is to his interest to do a certain thing, that it will be money in his pocket, and he will do it if he is wise. This is the method pursued by the Mermod & Jaccard Jewelry Co., Fourth and Locust, to dispose of their enormous stock of goods. It is not necessary to resort to spacious argument to make sales. A statement of facts with regard to their great sacrifice sale is amply sufficient to convince any one that it is to his or her interest to purchase, because the facts can be proven. It is an actual sacrifice of the finest goods, and not a mere catch announcement to draw customers into the establishment. Every statement made by the company is based up by the prices marked on the goods in plain figures. No one can be deceived in this matter. The original prices may be seen by the side of the reduced prices, and the difference represents the profit made by the purchaser. There is not a buver among the immense throngs which have attended the reduction sale since last Thursday who is not satisfied that every promise made has been fulfilled, and that finer bargains may be obtained at this establishment for the money just now, than ever have been offered in the elegant class of goods to be found there. There is not an unsalable article in the magnificent stock, but all are fresh, intrinsically valuable and in first-class condition, and there is not a single article to the price of which the knife has not been ruthlessly applied. They do not ask the public to accept their statement, but to call and examine, feeling assured that every assertion made in the advertisement on the fifth page today will be vindicated as true, and that no one will leave without taking advantage of the superb opportunities to purchase magnificent goods at marvelously low cost. No one can afford not to see the bargains offered at this sale.

## THE METROPOLITAN PRESS.

### What the Editors of the New York Journals are Saying To-day.

*By Telegraph to the Post-Dispatch.*

NEW YORK, February 24.—The WORLD says: "A contemporary says that the Republican officials at Washington are preparing to 'fold their tents and steal away.' They have been stealing away for a number of years. That is the reason the people have directed them to 'fold their tents.'"

THE SUN

The Sun says: "Everybody has a right to find fault with any appointment to public office, provided the fault-finding is reasonable and appears to have a foundation in facts and justice. But our esteemed contemporary, the Inter-Ocean, goes far beyond these limits in assailing Mr. Manning."

THE TIMES.

The Times says: "The Texas Pacific forfeiture bill has now passed beyond the reach of the lobby. The House assented to the Senate amendments yesterday, and the bill goes to the President. Its enactment restores to the public domain 15,000,000 acres of land, valued at $40,000,000. It has been a very difficult matter to get this bill passed. The active agents of the railroad supplied the chief obstacles, but the indifference which legislators at Washington exhibited in the Senate in regard to all efforts to restrain corporate greed has also weighed heavily against the proposed forfeiture."

THE TRIBUNE.

The Tribune says: "Now that the Democrats have gone systematically to work on the Southern plan to overturn the majority in the Senate, it is not to be expected that they will stop short of any infamy to carry out their purposes. If Grover Cleveland approves what they have already done his administration will be an extraordinary monument to the sense of the professional 'reformers.'"

## THE PEOPLE'S FORUM.

### Those Sinful Children.

ST. LOUIS, February 22, 1885.

*To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:*

Please inform me whether something can be done to prevent the children using the sidewalks in the southern part of the city for sleigh riding? It is outrageous between Russell avenue and Barton streets, the sidewalks being in such a condition that they are impassable. Hoping to receive information through your paper very soon, I remain, respectfully, READER.

## ANSWERS TO CORRESPONDENTS.

A. B. C.—The side of an acre measures 208.7 feet.

READER—Long John Wentworth stands 6 feet 7 inches.

READER—A citizen votes in the city where he sleeps, not where he eats.

GENTLEMAN—The word "drummer" is an American one of obvious derivation.

SHOP-GIRL—We cannot use communications written on both sides of the paper.

LADY READER—Government bonds are dealt in by nearly all the brokers and private bankers.

HANNAH AND HARV—If you cannot find your rich uncle by advertising, we cannot find him for you.

BYRON—There are a number of elocutionists in this city who prepare pupils for the stage, but if you cannot act better than the average of this season's actors we do not propose to help you in your aspirations.

MANY READERS—1. No train ever went from New York to San Francisco in forty-eight hours. 2. The distance from New York to San Francisco is 3,300 miles. 3. The distance from St. Louis to New York is 1,000 miles.


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## GIRL STRIKERS.

### The Knitters of St. Louis in Open Revolt.

**How a Number of Pretty Young Women Are Making a Stand for Their Rights—A Disgusted Apostle—Scenes at To-Day's Meeting.**

The meeting of the striking female knitters at Thiet's Hall at Fourth and Plum this morning makes a most interesting chapter of the history of the struggle between capital and labor

This is a girls' strike.

Among the fifty or sixty girls that assembled this morning not five were over 25 years old and not three under 15. They were a good looking crowd. Pretty faces were the rule and care-worn ones were the exception. The girls were neatly dressed and cleanly, healthy looking, wholesome workers, most of whom looked on the meeting as a very jolly picnic, and only regretted the absence of the male element in order to make the occasion thoroughly enjoyable.

But they meant business.

The one topic was the condition of the strike and the best way to form a thorough, working union. Of course the views of many of the young ladies were crude, and many had no views whatever, except that they meant to get more money for their work.

As the crowd assembled each girl brought in some news as to the progress of the strike at each of the seven stocking factories in St. Louis. In an informal way it was agreed that Mr. Branson, the foreman of the Castner factory, on Seventh and Morgan streets, was

ONE OF THE CHIEF OBSTACLES

to the success of the strike, by his unreasonable interference with Mr. Castner, the proprietor.

"I believe that Mr. Castner wants to give us a chance," said a red-lipped little lady, whose black eyes were fairly blazing with excitement, "but that man Branson is a great big Brute—that's what he is. I want you to put that in the POST-DISPATCH, because it's true, and every girl in Castner's factory—and there's over thirty of them there—will tell you so. Mr. Castner, I believe, would be perfectly willing to give us a fair price for a day's work, but Branson will not let him do it."

The girls crowded into groups in different places about the hall and discussed all sorts of revolutionary methods of making all the three hundred knitting girls of the city come out on the strike

"They must come out," said Miss Annie Lacey, a very pretty little lady, with a most vivacious interest in the proceedings. "No girl can live on the wages which ten hours of hard work will bring her at the knitting machines. Now, I am a fast worker, and yet, by very hard work from 7 in the morning to 6 in the evening, I can't make more than 50 cents a day. I oftener make $2 a week. The present rates is 18 cents a dozen for socks and 22 cents a dozen for ladies' hose. It is a very smart girl who can make more than a dozen pairs of socks, or two and a half dozen pairs of ladies' hose in a day, and that will show you what we can make."

It was after 10 o'clock when the president, Miss Lehman, called the meeting to order. She had no sooner rapped upon the table than Mrs. Cleveland of the W. C. T. U., a very motherly looking old lady, arose and asked the Chair if there was any objection to her offering prayer, making a few remarks and reading a few verses of the Bible. Amid some opposition this was begun, but before Mrs. Cleveland had held the floor for half an hour there were signs of much

UNEASINESS AMONG THE AUDIENCE.

Most of the girls were chatting to each other and paying very little attention to the services. Mrs. Cleveland stopped abruptly, and said very sharply: "Young Ladies! The young ladies kept on never minding, and quite a scene followed. One of the girls arose and moved that further religious services be dispensed with, a motion which, after a solemn protest upon the part of Mrs. Cleveland, was carried. When the result was announced Mrs. Cleveland said very calmly: "Good morning—Young Ladies, good morning. I cannot be connected with any association which rejects God ——"

Some confusion followed here which was ended by one of the young ladies, Mrs. Linebach, arising and very firmly saying: "Mrs. Cleveland, this is all nonsense. We do not reject God."

"Of course we don't."

"You are right, Annie."

"We do not reject God," a number of girls cried out.

The speaker went on: "We are here for business, not religion, and all of this talk is a waste of time. These girls go to church every Sunday just as regularly as you do, and we are not here for the purpose of getting religious instruction, but of trying to get better wages for our work. We don't want to offend you, but this thing is out of place."

Mrs. Cleveland was not quite pacified, and, while stating that she was glad to hear that God was not rejected, she must insist on bending the young women good morning. Mrs. Cleveland left and the business was resumed.

Miss Hannah Wells, the secretary, a tall, lady-like looking girl, next read the schedule of prices which the committee had agreed to demand of the manufacturers. The figures were as follows:

ST. LOUIS, February 23, 1885.

We, the committee of the knitters of the city of St. Louis, have resolved to have the following price list:

LADIES' HOSE.

| Cylinder. | | Per Doz. | | Per Doz. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 64 | Cotton. | .27 | Woolen. | .30 |
| 72 | | | | |
| 80 | Cotton. | .30 | Woolen. | .33½ |
| 84 | | | | |
| 96 | Cotton. | .30 | Woolen. | .35 |
| 100 | | | | |

CHILDREN'S STOCKINGS.

| Size. | | Per Doz. |
|---|---|---|
| 4½ | Cotton | .20 |
| 5½ | Cotton | .22 |
| 6½ | Cotton | .24 |
| 7½ | Cotton | .26 |
| 8½ | Cotton | .28 |

BOYS' STOCKINGS.

| Cylinder. | | Per Doz. |
|---|---|---|
| 64 | cotton | .20 |
| 72 | cotton | .22½ |

SOCKS.

| Cylinder. | | Per Doz. | | Per Doz. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 64 | cotton | .22½ | woolen | .25 |
| 72 | cotton | .22½ | woolen | .25 |

The word cylinder means the number of needles in the circle of the machine.

It was stated by the president, Miss Lehman, that this was the same schedule which was in use some time ago, and which had been cut subsequently to the present starvation rates. There was some discussion about the prices, which was finally settled by a rising vote, the schedule above being adopted.

A committee consisting of Louise Coiclazier, Annie Hertling, Mrs. M. Coshen, Mrs. Linebach and Annie Lacey were appointed to visit

THE MANUFACTURERS OF HOSIERY

in St. Louis, and request them to adopt the new price schedule. These ladies expressed their willingness to serve, but stated that they were afraid, that in some cases they might meet with personal violence, as the men with whom they had to deal were anything but gentlemanly in their treatment of women. This statement created something of a sensation among the half a dozen gentlemen who were present, and these at once volunteered to accompany the committee and see that they got fair play, and an opportunity to make their complaints.

There was one girl in the room who was evidently hardly more than 12 years old, and her presence caused the question by some of the gentlemen present as to how many children were at work knitting. In reply it was stated that Ern's factory on Sixth and Franklin avenue, the Standard Hosiery Mills, was the only one at which children were largely employed. It was stated that not three of his forty employes were over fifteen years of age, but this was denied. It was said that the number of knitters in St. Louis was 40 girls at the Standard; 30 girls at Castner's; 75 girls at Pfeninger's; 8 girls at Wilson's; 4 girls at Weil's; 60 girls at Dodd, Brown & Co.'s; 6 girls at Penosky's.

On motion the meeting adjourned until 2 o'clock to-morrow, it being stated that the meeting would be an executive one at which no outsiders would be admitted.

WOMEN'S WEAPONS.

At the close of the meeting a number of the older heads among the girls gathered in one part of the hall and discussed the very serious question as to what should be done with the girls who refused to strike, something over a hundred in number.

Said Miss Emma Gray: "There is no use in talking, girls; something will have to be done to get those girls out. We can't bulldoze them like men would do, but we can make it pretty lively for them in other ways."

"How?"

"Well, I'll tell you what I believe in doing. Every one of those girls has a beau, and I think the chances are that their fellows are in some Trades Union. Now I believe that we ought to get the names of every one that won't strike, and print their names in the papers, and ask every man that is in sympathy with us to have nothing to do with them at all. I believe that if they were left at home and nobody went to see them for a while, it would bring them to reason very quickly."

Another suggestion was made that the addresses of all the non-striking girls be got, and visits be made to their homes to find out whether they could not be induced to come out.

### Children's Carnival.

Never before has there been so widespread and deep an interest in an affair in which children have participated as there is at present in behalf of the children's carnival, which is to take place next Thursday at the Star Roller Rink. Prizes will be offered by the following firms for competition in different events: A beautiful diamond ring, for the handsomest costumed little girl, presented by Mr. Arnur Mermod of Mermod & Jaccard Jewelry Company; a finely designed box, filled with the choicest of French bon bons, from Frazer, the confectioner; an elegant set of books, especially adapted for either boys or girls, will be given by the William Barr Dry Goods Company; the E. O. Meacham Arms Company presents a nickle-plated pair of Jenley club skates; the Dollar Store will give an elgant souvenir appropriate for the occasion; Addington, the druggist, gives a handsome ink-stand; the Humes Hardware Company gives a pair of ice Crooker nickle-plated club skates. Besides these the Star Rink will give several handsome prizes and a souvenir programme will be presented each person who attends. Tickets for grown people are fifty cents and for children twenty-five cents. They can be purchased at the down-town office of the rink, Appier & Hodge, 618 Olive street, and also at the rink.

## THE VOTE OF CENSURE.

### Spirited Debate in the English Parliament Last Evening.

LONDON, February 24.—In the Parliament last evening, especially in the House of Commons, there was an exciting debate took place on the pending motions to censure the Government for its Egyptian policy. Sir Stafford Northcote moved that an humble address, of which he gave notice on Thursday, to be presented to the Queen, that the policy of the Government in Egyptian affairs had been an utter failure, and involved great sacrifice of life, and that the Government should take decided measures to fulfill its responsibility. Northcote, continuing, severely criticised the Government and the general spirit wherein the advisers of the crown conducted matters. Unless a complete and entire change took place, it would be their lot to fail in whatever they might be called upon to do. Northcote paid an eloquent tribute to General Gordon and the passage in the hero's letter. He declared that the deadcommander's prophecies had come to pass. The Government must drop the habit of evading trouble. They were daily getting into deeper water, and whatever the consequence might be, he, Northcote, felt compelled to summon the House to pronounce a verdict, as it had done on previous occasions, with the additional experience of the value of the Ministry's promise and the success of its action.

John Morley, Liberal, offered an amendment to the motion of censure, in favor of the evacuation of the Soudan. He thought something might be done by negotiating with the Mahdi, but the Soudan should be left to the Soudanese.

The Premier replied with spirit, and vigorously defended the Government's policy. The Government might have committed errors of judgment, but had, throughout, acted with honesty of purpose. He was satisfied that no other course was open to them. The Government declined to enter into any covenant not reasonable and prudent. The Suakim expedition was necessary, even without a determination to smash the Mahdi, to secure the retirement of the troops. Concluding, Mr. Gladstone declared that if the House thought the Government had failed in its duty, the latter would cheerfully accept the verdict, but if otherwise, he hoped they would give expression to their confidence, thereby strengthening the whole country in the face of the world.

## THEY MEAN FIGHT.

### Some thing as to the Purpose of the South Side Property Owners.

Judge Fisse, one of the members of the committee appointed by South Side property owners last night to investigate concerning the proposed connection between the Iron Mountain road and the Union Depot, was seen this morning and questioned as to the committee's plans.

"We propose," said he, "to be very deliberate in what we do, as nothing is to be gained by hasty action. First we want to know exactly were we stand, and what the law is as affecting the case in question, and then we will propose some plan of action which we will recommend to an adjourned meeting of property owners."

"But if the Circuit Court has decided that the County Court had the right to grant the railroad company the privilege of building across the streets between the Levee and the Union Depot, what can you do?"

"We propose to find whether it was so decided or not. My understanding is that the Circuit Court simply left the city's appeal without making any decision as to whether the County Court had the right or not. I understand that at the time the County Court granted that privilege it had no control whatever over our streets. I understand that in 1865 Judge H. A. Clover was appointed a commissioner by the county, through whom the county delegated to the city all power of control over the highways inside the city limits, and he performed that duty as instructed. If that be true could the county in 1874 assume to give a right of way across the streets between the Levee and the Union Depot? The question is a broad one, and its investigation will require considerable time. We hold our first meeting in Judge Woerner's office at 3 o'clock this afternoon."

"How will you proceed if a fight is determined upon?"

"My idea is, that we should, and to be successful we must, form a regular organization, of which all property owners may become members, and that this organization must act through a carefully selected executive committee. The undertaking of fighting a railroad company is a great one, and we will be slow to assume it. But if we do make the fight, we will carry it on regardless of labor and expense."

## MAXON'S MOTOR.

### He Favors Electricity, but Will Hardly Make the Change Just Yet.

It was reported to-day that the agent of an Ohio electric motor company had been in the city for a few days past, and that Mr. Maxon, president of the Lindell Railway Company, had been negotiating with him, through the medium of a prominent official of a Third street Savings Bank, for the use of the patent owned by his principals. Mr. Maxon, however, stated to a POST-DISPATCH reporter that there was no truth in the report and that, while it was true that he had been studying the electric motor problem and had become satisfied that its satisfactory solution was not far distant, he would not come to any decision in the matter until the complete adaptability of the motor to street car lin s was esta ished. "In Cleveland one of the street railroads is operating successfully with the electric motor over a line a mile long. They are running

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with it, and, although the line includes no grades, the patentees guarantee that the power is sufficient to draw loaded cars up a gradient of 1 in 10, which is about three times as steep as any which we have in this city. The trouble is in securing the complete insulation of the wires which are laid in troughs under the car track, especially over long circuits. We shall not begin negotiations with any patentees until the result of the consolidation of electric interests now going on in New York is known. The company in whose hands the various patents are to be placed is going to begin its experiments with the electric-motor upon the New York Elevated railroad. As soon as the New Yorkers have decided which is the best motor the Cleveland people will try how it affects their road, and as soon as they accomplish satisfactory results with it on an underground circuit, we shall probably begin work. So you see there is no immediate prospect of the electric system being applied on our roads, and the story that we were negotiating with the agent of an Ohio company is without foundation."

## A COWARDLY ATTACK.

### Three Drunken Roughs Shoot a Sleeping Car Conductor at Des Moines.

*By Telegraph to the Post-Dispatch.*

KEOKUK, IOWA, February 24.—Charles Davis, conductor of a sleeping car that left here last night on the Rock Island Road, was shot in the neck by some unknown party at Des Moines, early this morning. He went on the platform of the car, and three drunken persons, who were on the depot platform, threw a beer keg at him, and followed up the attack by firing a pistol at him, the ball taking effect as above. Immediately after the shooting they all ran away. No arrests have yet been effected.

## A FOUL DEED.

### An Aged Man Murdered by His Son—Tennessee Tragedy.

KNOXVILLE, TENN., February 24.—William Hann, aged 80, was murdered in his house seven miles south of Knoxville, where he lived with a married son. It is suspected that the son, who lived in the old man's house, murdered his father.

### Fined $100.

Richard Grines, who was arrested last night by Sergeant Shore of the Third District, for stabbing Frank Schultz in the back, on Christy avenue, was fined $100 this morning by Judge Denison.

## LOCAL POLITICS.

### Mr. Filley Will Probably Head a Ticket of His Own.

**Mr. Brown Flatly Refuses to be Considered a Candidate for Flad's Place—Possibility That the Democratic Primaries Will Not be Held Under the State Law.**

If in his letter of a few days ago, an account of which was given in the POST-DISPATCH at the time, Mike Foerstel had not urged as an argument the allegation that Chairman Warner of the Republican State Committee had declared the Pohlman organization to be the regular and legitimate party committee, that letter might have been in a measure effective in bringing the two wings of the party together again for the purposes of the spring campaign. That statement about Chairman Warner, however, so galled Mr. Grund and his friends that they regarded it as little short of an insult, and regarded its author as merely a Filley man in the guise of a peacemaker. Their information, based on as good authority as that of Secretary Mott of the State Committee, is, that Chairman Warner made no such decision as was attributed to him by Mr. Foerstel, and so warm did they get in thinking it over, that they could not even bring themselves to show Mr. Foerstel's really earnest endeavor to secure harmony the mere courtesy of an answer. Getting tired of waiting to hear from the other side, Mr. Pohlman, with the authority of Messrs. Filley, Smith and Knapper, called on Mr. Foerstel yesterday, and informed him that the regular committee was perfectly willing to act on the invitation sent them, and to join with the Grund men in a joint call for primaries and a convention, and that they would only stipulate that this action was not to be interpreted as a surrender of any of the powers of the regular committee, or as in anywise impairing their standing as the legal representative organization of the Republican party of St. Louis. This action again puts Messrs. Pohlman and Filley once more in the attitude of

MEN BEGGING FOR HARMONY

and united action, and puts the opposition in the attitude of disturbers, who are determined to keep open the breach between the two elements of the party. Unless the Grund men should, within the next four or five days, reconsider their purpose, and should show a willingness to yield a trifle for unity's sake, the result will probably be that on some date between the 10th and 17th of next month the Pohlman convention will be held, and Mr. Chauncey I. Filley will be nominated for Mayor, with Mr. M. A. Rosenblatt for Collector, and with some man other than Mr. Adreon for Comptroller. Their ticket will necessarily bear the heading of "the Regular Republican Ticket," and it will be placed before the public with a fulmination from Mr. Filley to the effect that the law and the highest political authority in the State recognize the Pohlman body as the legitimate organ of the party, and that it has done all in its power, even to the surrender of some of its chief prerogatives, in order to secure harmonious action.

"Do you think Mr. Filley would poll many votes?" asked a reporter of a gentleman who favors his candidacy.

"He would surprise you," was the answer. "In the first place it is now reasonably certain that Ewing will be the Republican nominee, and either Blair or Noonan the Democratic nominee. Now the old soldiers of St. Louis will never consent to vote for either of these men, if they can find any one else to vote for. As between Ewing and

EITHER OF THE OTHERS,

Ewing would certainly lose a large part of that vote which naturally belongs to the Republican party. That entire vote would go to Mr. Filley with a whoop, and I regard it as his duty as a Republican to co-operate with, in order to prevent it from going to the enemy. In the next place, Mr. Filley would receive almost the entire colored vote of the city, and you know very well the negroes are all good voters. He would draw largely from the Stalwart element of the party, and the German vote would be exceedingly strong in his behalf—a vote that otherwise threatens to go very largely to Noonan. You will find that when the ballots were counted, there would be very little left of the pretense that the Ewing faction comprises nineteen-twentieths of the Republican and that the Filley represents only a few machine politicians."

Had the Grund Committee consented to a joint call for a convention, there is no question that Mr. Filley would consent to accept Mr. Ewing as the Mayoralty nominee, as the Globe-Democrat is understood to have done already, and Mr. Adreon for Comptroller; but it is probable that there would have been a stiff controversy over the Collectorship. If the breach is permanent, however, there will be very few coincidences in the candidates on the two tickets.

THE COLORED VOTE.

Apropos of the above remarks concerning the colored vote, and where it is going, the following unique card is very interesting.

ST. LOUIS, February 23.

*To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.*

In regard to the colored voters of the city we would say, after canvassing the situation as best we know, that the present incumbent, Mayor Wm. L. Ewing, has the hearty support of the colored votes, but we would advise, if there is any change to be made, let them all be of one stripe, Republicans or Democrats, and no go-betweens. They are not very unanimous, however, in supporting Mr. Tyler for City Marshal, their objection being, no man connected with liquor can fully justify himself in any public position. As for Murphy they have not given him much thought.

D. W. CLARK, Pres.
C. T. BROWN, Sec.
HENRY BROWN, Vice-Pres.

MONEY FOR REGISTRATION.

The Democratic City Committee met last night, but transacted no business beyond that of hearing reports as to registration work in the several wards, and arranging to give vigor and method to the work where it is being loosely done. While the committee was in session the candidates were holding a conference, at which they fixed up a schedule of amounts to be contributed by the aspirants for the various offices. The amount of $1,500 was to be raised, but the schedule, as made out, will hardly provide more than $1,000. The highest amount assessed against any one was $30, and the lowest $5. Both meetings were marked by an air of great confidence, although nearly every man present was required to give a statement up to every body else, in the strictest confidence, that the party was in great danger of making a disastrous mistake in its nominations, especially in the nomination for which he himself was an aspirant. The candidates were presided over by Joseph Brown, and Fred Espenshied acted as secretary and collector.

POLITICAL NOTES.

Captain Tom L. O'Sullivan feels much hurt at the anonymous charge that he is a dark lanternite. As a matter of fact, the Captain is an active and hustling candidate for City Marshal, and he expects to be nominated on the first ballot by a three-fourths vote. That being the case, he feels it to be his right, and even his duty to his own interests, to accept invitations to attend political meetings in his ward, whether they be called in the interest of Parks, Rainwater, Noonan or Brown. Such attendance is in his own interest and does not commit him as a partisan.

There were two political meetings in the Tenth Ward last night, one at 1502 Washington avenue, and one at the Twenty-second street headquarters of the Cleveland and Hendricks Club. Both are reported to have been in the interest of Mr. Parks.

Mr. Joseph Brown declines most positively to be switched off the Mayoralty course by the Parks or Rainwater or Noonan men, who are urging that he would make an excellent candidate in opposition to Mr. Flad for the presidency of the Board of Public Improvements. He has a card on that subject in this issue.

The failure of the candidates last night to raise the $1,500, which is the amount estimated by the Democratic City Committee for the primary and convention, afforded an argument to that element which is opposed to holding the primaries under the State law, and some of the members of the committee made intimations late last night that the resolution providing for an adoption of the State law restrictions would be rescinded. This prospect has filled several of the candidates with alarm this morning.

The majority of the Democratic candidates appear to believe that one week between the nominations and the election will be ample time for the final campaign.

## FROM EX-MAYOR BROWN.

### To the Voters of the City of St. Louis.

Having received a number messages from various persons, some from friendship no doubt, and from others who wish to clear the way for their especial candidate for Mayor, asking me to become a candidate for President of the Board of Public Improvement, instead of for Mayor, I have to say to all such, that while I fully appreciate the compliment when intended as such, I respectfully decline to run for that office and am fixed in my determination to run for Mayor, believing the voice of the people is in my favor; and I here assure them I would rather be elected Mayor of St. Louis for the third time and again take the supervision of the different eleemosynary institutions of the city, of which the House of Refuge has been my peculiar care, and again visit them and deal out kindly advice to the inmates with more pleasure than I would attend a President's reception at Washington.

I am a candidate for Mayor, and nothing else, and will stay on the track until the last vote is cast in the Convention. Very respectfully,

JOSEPH BROWN.

## THE OREGON SENATORSHIP.

### Governor Moody Not Pleased With Matters, but Will Fill the Vacancy.

SALEM, ORE., February 24.—Governor Moody said to-day that he thought he had the right to be indignant at being placed in a doubtful and perplexing position through the neglect of the legislature to do its duty. He had not yet carefully examined the law, and so had not definitely determined what his duty in this emergency was, but, he added, "I think that I shall make an appointment. This much, however, is certain, I shall not appoint a Senator till there is a vacancy, which does not occur till the 4th of March. It would be impossible for any man whom I could name at that time to arrive in Washington to attend the short executive. So that, unless the President calls an extra session, there will be no need of a Senator until December. I shall be in no haste to fill the vacancy.

## AN ABSCONDING AGENT

### Sold Organs, Forged a Note, and Left for Parts Unknown.

*By Telegraph to the Post-Dispatch.*

MARSHALL, Mo., November 24.—C. M. Hands arrived here to-day from St. Louis in search of J. W. May, who has for some time past been the agent in this city for Story & Camp, organ dealers. The firm intrusted several organs to his care, and for some time he has reported the last installments unsold. Upon investigation made by Mr. Hands it was discovered that he had sold all for the money and left with his family for parts unknown. He also forged a note on a Mr. Clyde here and got it cashed. Clyde and the organ company are anxious to learn his whereabouts.

## FRUSTRATED BY THE JAILER.

### Searching for a Truant Wife—A Colored Desperado Caught—Missouri Matters.

INDEPENDENCE, February 24.—A well-laid plan by which all the prisoners might have escaped from the County Jail was discovered and frustrated by Jailer Silver.

PACIFIC, February 24.—John Davidson, a farmer of Carrollton, Ill., is here in search of his wife, who eloped with a hired man named James Wilson.

LEXINGTON, February 24.—Lon Crockett, colored, has been arrested for a cutting affair in a negro church.

HANNIBAL, February 24.—School bonds to the value of $40,000 have been taken at par by the Phœnix Insurance Company of Hartford, Conn.

## SENT BACK.

### Architect Walsh's Case Against the Exposition Association Remanded.

The Court of Appeals this morning decided the case of Thomas Walsh against the St. Louis Exposition and Music Hall Association in favor of Walsh by remanding the case for a new trial. Walsh sued for $20,000 damages for an alleged breach of contract on the part of the Exposition Association in rejecting his plans and specifications for constructing the Exposition Building. The Circuit Court sustained a demurrer to his petition on the ground that it did not state facts sufficient to constitute cause of action, and this decision the Court of Appeals holds was erroneous.

### An Eyesore Removed.

Property-holders and residents in the vicinity of Washington avenue and Twentieth street will be pleased to hear that the removal of Schaeffer Bros. & Powell's soap factory, which has been an eyesore in the "Valley" for years past, will be fully completed within the next few weeks. A member of the firm said to-day to a POST-DISPATCH reporter that their new factory would be in full operation by the beginning of next month, and that the demolition of the old one would probably be complete a month later. The property is owned by Mr. Eugene Kelly of New York, who will probably improve it before very long in a manner gratifying to the residents of the neighborhood.

### Rendering Unto Cæsar, Etc.

A dissertation in yesterday's issue upon the re markable qualities which have made the Silver Tag Plug a virtual sensation in tobacco commerce, was badly marred by an error which attributed the credit therefor to the wrong firm. The manufacturers of this tobacco, which has made a pure breath compatible with the chewing habit, are the Dausman Tobacco Company, located on the corner of Sixteenth and Poplar streets. It need hardly be added that there is no depression in that particular branch of business.

### A Chance to Compromise.

The sale of the stock of goods of W. H. Gumersell & Company, which was advertised to take place to-day, has been postponed until March 16. It is said the postponement was agreed to by all the judgment creditors at the solicitation of Gumersell & Co., who hope to effect a settlement with their creditors within the next two weeks.

### Gives Her the Damages.

The Court of Appeals this morning affirmed the judgment of the Circuit Court in the case of Chas. A. Clarke and his wife against the Famous Shoe and Clothing Company. Mrs. Clarke fell down the open cellar of the Famous establishment, sued for damages and obtained a verdict of $1,700.

### Killed While Coupling Cars.

PITTSBURG, PA., February 24.—Albert Lopz, a young man who stated that he ran away from his home in Arkansas, was killed on the Allegheny Valley Railroad this morning, while coupling freight cars.

### A Banker's Suicide.

INDIANAPOLIS, IND., February 24.—A News special from Gosport, Ind., says that Wm. A. Montgomery, a banker of that city, suicided this morning, aged —. The act is believed to have been committed during a temporary aberration, caused by long illness.

### Asking for a Receiver.

The hearing of the application for the appointment of a receiver of the St. Louis Hot Pressed Nut and Bolt Manufacturing Company came up in Judge Tayer's court this morning and was laid over until this afternoon.

### Burned Sealskins.

A still alarm called Fire Engine Company No. 10 to 2202 Eugenia street yesterday evening about 7 o'clock. A blaze of unknown origin in the second story back room destroyed two sealskin cloaks valued at $400, and a loss of $100 on furniture and building.

### A Missing Brother.

Charles Lefebre of Napierville, Province of Quebec, Canada, has written to Chief Harrigan for information concerning his brother, Vital Lefebre, who was last heard from March 21, 1864, in this city.

## EAST ST. LOUIS.

The beef canning establishment at the Stock Yards will soon resume operation.

In deference to the mission now being held at St. Patrick's Church, the meeting of the Catholic Knights of Illinois, which was to have taken place to-night, has been postponed.

Elizabeth Eylers, daughter of George Eylers, died yesterday morning. The funeral took place this afternoon from the family residence on Tenth street to the Lutheran Cemetery.

There was a chicken-fight held at the the Fourth Ward House on Collinsville avenue Saturday night, between St. Louis and East St. Louis birds, the latter in nearly every case coming off victorious.

The Supreme Court has, upon the application of John M. Sullivan's attorneys, granted a stay of execution in the Treasurer's contest of Wm. P. Launtz vs. J. M. Sullivan, which was recently decided in favor of the pl

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**WATCHES--** The reductions on each individual Silver and Gold Watch will range from $2 to $300, according to its value.

**CLOCKS--** The reductions on the American Clocks will range from 50 Cents to $5, and on Imported French Marble and Bronze Clocks from $3 to $50.

**JEWELRY--** Great reductions on all the Immense Varieties of Breast-Pins, Ear-Rings, Bracelets, Necklaces, Lockets, Watch Chains, Sleeve Buttons, Studs, Vinaigrettes, Chatelaines, etc., etc. The reduced prices of these Articles must be seen to be appreciated.

**MUSIC BOXES--** These Delightful additions to every Household will be offered at astonishingly Low Prices, the reductions ranging from $3 to $100 on each Box.

**ART GOODS--** Which embrace the Brass Goods, Lamps, Vases, Bisque Figures, Parian Marbleware, Silk Umbrellas, Handkerchief, Glove and Jewel Boxes, Albums, Fine Dessert Plates, After-Dinner Coffee Cups and Saucers, Placques and other Ornamental Decorative Articles, will be so greatly reduced that there will be absolutely no excuse for the absence of Beauty in the Home.

**SOLID SILVERWARE--** Now is the time to purchase Solid Silver Spoons and Forks at Marvelously Low Prices. You should, by all means, supply your immediate and prospective wants during this sale. In Fancy Silverwares the reductions are also very great, and will range from $2 to $200 on Individual Cases.

**SILVER-PLATED WARE--** The Finest Silver-Plated Wares in the World will be offered at such Low Prices that it will be a matter of wonderment to the Public that such articles can be sold for the money. Come and see what we offer in Butter Dishes, Casters, Ice Pitchers, Goblets, Trays, Tea Services, Urns, Cups, Knives, Spoons, Fork and other articles too numerous to be listed.

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## BRANCH OFFICES.

1800 CHOUTEAU AV.—H. F. A. Spilker. 2731 CHOUTEAU AV.—Mrs. P. Quigley. 2736 MARKET ST.—Jacob Beffa. 1515 OLIVE ST.—Exposition Pharmacy. 3340 OLIVE ST.—M. Mahoney. 1018 GARRISON AV.—Blachly's Pharmacy. 2358 CARR ST.—Chambers'. 1106 N. SIXTEENTH ST.—John F. Howe. 1854 CASS AV.—Benj. Parent's. 1659 S. JEFFERSON AV., cor. Lafayette—Harris & Smith. 1836 PARK AV.—J. Callaghan. 2100 SIDNEY ST.—Ed. Dufour. 2101 N. THIRTEENTH ST.—Mrs. Israel. 3625 N. BROADWAY.—Bremen Drug Store. 3119 S. BROADWAY.—Otto A. Karnatz. EAST ST. LOUIS, op. Post Office—Oscar F. Kresse.

**Parties advertising in these Columns and having the answers addressed in care of POST-DISPATCH, will Please ask for check to enable them to get their letters, as none will be delivered except on presentation of check. All answers to advertisements should be inclosed in envelopes. Parties answering advertisements must have their replies directed to their own POST OFFICE address.**

### LODGE NOTICES.

O. I. H., Branch No. 93, will celebrate the third anniversary of their organization, Saturday, February 28, 1885, at their hall, 620 Locust st., at 7:30 o'clock. Friends of the Order cordially invited to attend. M. A. COOPER, Acc't. s33

OFFICERS AND MEMBERS of Cosmos Lodge, No. 196, I. O. O. F., are earnestly requested to attend regular meeting this evening at our hall, cor. 4th and Locust; initiation and other very important business. Visiting brothers welcome. A. LANG, N. G. THOS. J. WILSON, Secretary. t33

GEORGE WASHINGTON LODGE, No. 9, A. F. & A. M., will hold a regular communication at Masonic Hall, cor. 7th and Market sts., this (Tuesday) evening at 7:30 o'clock. Visiting brethren are fraternally invited. P. J. HEUER, Sec.

COSMOS LODGE, No. 282, A. F. & A. M., will hold a stated communication at Masonic Hall, corner 7th and Market sts., this—Monday—evening at 7:30 o'clock. Visiting brethren are fraternally invited. JOHN NOLDE, W. M. M. SWEENEY, Secretary. m33

PEARL COUNCIL No. 15, Order of Chosen Friends.—A meeting of this council will be held Tuesday evening, January 6, at Neun's Hall, northeast corner of Park and St. Ange aves. All members are specially requested to attend. Members of sister councils are invited to attend. J. H. HOLSTEN, Chief Councillor.

STELLA COUNCIL, No. 14, Legion of Honor meets every Wednesday at UnionHall, corner of Broadway and Benton st. All members of the order are fraternally invited. A. W. SMITH, Chancellor. C. H. PELLET, Recorder. t33

OAK LODGE, No. 100, K. of H., will hold a regular stated meeting at the new hall, 620 Locust st., on Tuesday evening, at 8 o'clock. Visiting brothers are fraternally invited. J. W. PECKINGTON, Dictator. ED. T. COOKE, Reporter.

THE members of Anchor Lodge, No. 144, K. of H., are requested to meet at hall of Harmony Lodge, n. e. cor. 5th st. and Franklin av., Tuesday, February 24, at 7:30 p. m. W. O. LIFE, Reporter. t33

HALL ST. LOUIS LODGE, NO. 13, K. of H. Sixth and Walnut streets, (Elks' Hall)—Special Notice—An instructive lecture will be delivered at our hall on the night of 25th of February, inst., by Bro. E. A. Chancellor, A. M., M. D., for several years the efficient Medical Examiner of "old 13." Subject of discourse will be "Philosophy of Marriage," as viewed from a medical standpoint. Open session after 8 o'clock p. m. Please attend and bring your gentlemen friends. Brother Knights of other Lodges are cordially invited. Attest: C. E. HALL, Dictator. P. S. DROWN, Reporter.

### SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE.

**Book-keepers.**

MONEY to loan on all personal property from 25c to $10,000, at S. Van Raalte's loan office, 12 S. 4th st. 36

**PROF. R. M. ADAMS,**

Teacher of Dancing, Foster Academy, 16th and Pine sts.; good music, large hall, low rates.

**SPRING TERM**

for ladies, gentlemen and children, commences MONDAY EVENING, MARCH 2. Tuition $5 per Term. Waltzing will be the special feature of this term. Party every Wednesday evening. First select cap party, Wednesday evening, March 4. 86

**Clerks and Salesmen.**

WANTED—By an experienced dry goods clerk, situation in retail or wholesale house; best city references given. Ad. G 34, this office. 37

WANTED—Situation by a first-class salesman, thoroughly posted in dry goods, in the city or country. H 42, this office. t37

WANTED—Situation as salesman in shoe-store; will work at the bench, make and repair; good mechanic. 705 Washington av. t37

WANTED—Position by a young married man as clerk in any kind of store; is not afraid of work. J 44, this office. w37

WANTED—Situation by a thoroughly competent coachman; first-class city references. Ad. T 45, this office. w39

WANTED—By a young man, a good penman, a position as shipping clerk; or, rather than be idle, will accept any office position. Ad. K 44, this office. w37

WANTED—A situation as traveling salesman through Missouri and Illinois; good trade, well acquainted, can handle most any kind of goods and can give unexceptional references. Ad. B 100, this office. 87

WANTED—By a German, well acquainted with retail grocery trade, situation as salesman; wagon preferred; good ref. and security. Address E 46, this office.

**The Trades.**

WANTED—Situation by an experienced harnessmaker as night watchman in stable, clean and repair harness, etc.; city reference. Address Miller, 1527 N. 15th st. w38

WANTED—A No. 1 polisher and buffer wants a situation; references given. Address L. Chetwynd, 1416 Chestnut st. w38

**Coachmen and Drivers.**

WANTD—A situation as coachman by a young man who thoroughly understands his business and can give best of references. G. Kahl, 3519 Cass av. w39

**Cooks.**

WANTED—A situation by a colored man to cook and bake. J 48, this office. t40

WANTED—Situation by first-class hotel cook; town or country; best references. W., 2629 Glasgow av.

**Stenographers.**

WANTED—A stenographer will give evening dictations to such as may desire it. Ad. P 39, this office. t41

**Boys.**

$5 To any one getting youth of 20 a place in wholesale house of any kind; No. 1 recommendations. Ad. R 45 this office. w42

WANTED—Situation as office boy. Ad. D 44, this office. t42

WANTED—Boy of 15 years wishes a situation of any kind of work, or to learn some trade. Address Ed. Harris, 1621 Franklin av. t42

WANTED—By a boy of 16 years, a situation to learn a trade. Address Wm. Lambord, 1520 Cass av. t42

WANTED—Boy of 15 years wishes a position in an office; has had experience; best of reference. Address W. H. M., 2617 Randolph st. t42

WANTED—Situation in an office by a boy of 16; references given. E 43, this office. t42

WANTED—A boy aged 17, good penman, speaking German, wishes a situation in some wholesale house or to learn a good trade or business. W. Thiele, 1436 Chambers st. t42

WANTED—Situation by boy of 15 to learn trade. Ad. J. H., 917 Madison st. t42

WANTED—By boy of 18, situation of any kind. Ad. 1821 Division st. t42

WANTED—Situation by a German boy to print in a photograph gallery; has had year and a half experience; can fur. best of ref. Apply to 1711 Franklin av.; rear. t42

WANTED—A boy of 14 wishes a situation of any kind. Ad. Henry Lehmann, 1033 Julia st. t42

WANTED—By boy 19 years old, a place in some family to tend to horses. Inquire at 1830 Market st. w42

WANTED—A boy of 18 would like a situation of any kind. Henry Krechel, 1721 S. 9th st. t42

**Miscellaneous.**

WANTED—Situation by a young colored man to do dining room work or housework; can furnish good reference. Apply to 1709 Orange st. w43

SITUATION to fold and address circulars. Ad. M 43, this office. w43

WANTED—Situation by an Englishman, married, sober and industrious; understands gardening or work about a gentleman's place. Apply to G. W. Morton, 817 N. 7th st. w43

WANTED—Position as collector; paper or sewing machines, or any house selling goods on instalments; several years' experience; best reference and bond. O 44, this office. t43

WANTED—By a young man of good address, a situation in a meat shop; A No. 1 cutter, with best reference. Ad. K 43, this office. t43

WANTED—A position as stock man or packer in boot and shoe house; six years' experience; best of reference. Ad. L 43, this office. t43

WANTED—Young man wants a situation to learn the retail grocery business. P 43, this office. t43

WANTED—Situation in wholesale drug house by a man of experience and reference. H 43, this office. t43

WANTED—Situation of any kind of respectable work; bakery or waiting on table preferred. Apply to J. Ayers, 1411 N. 9th st., rear. t43

MONEY to loan on all personal property from 25c to $10,000, at S. Van Raalte's loan office, 12 S. 4th st. 42

### HELP WANTED—MALE.

**Coachmen and Drivers.**

WANTED—Person to take charge of horse and wagon, one accustomed to hauling coal preferred. Ad., stating wages expected, M 45, this office. t55

**Cooks.**

WANTED—A good man to cook lunch and make himself useful around a saloon; white man pref. T 46, this office. t56

**The Trades.**

WANTED—A competent machine hand; no other need apply; for general planing mill work. Inquire at 2d and Bremen av. t58

WANTED—A first-class shirt cutter; none but experienced men need apply. Wm. Robinson & Co., 908 Olive st. a58

WANTED—50 men to board and lodge; board, $3 50; with room, $4 per week; meals, 15 cents; beds, 15 cents. 614 Market st., Hotel Adler. w58

**Laborers.**

WANTED—30 men to pack ice, East St. Louis, and 20 at Beef Canning Co.; National Stock Yard. Apply to J. A. Smith, St. Louis, 817 N. 7th. t59

**Clerks and Salesmen.**

MONEY to loan on all personal property from 25c to $10,000, at S. Van Raalte's loan office, 12 S. 4th st. 54

WANTED—Young man of good address who understands gents' furnishing goods and must be a good window dresser; none other need apply. Address P 43, this office. a54

**Boys.**

WANTED—A No. 1 boy as fireman and to make himself useful generally. Hotel Glenmore, 1428 Olive st.

WANTED—A steady, stout German boy, to drive a one-horse wagon. Call at 2604 St. Louis av. at 8 o'clock p. m. F. Moritz. w61

WANTED—Six boys at the Booth Kindling Company, 4715 Blair av., near water tower; no triflers need apply. t61

**Miscellaneous.**

WANTED—A good young man to attend bar; must live with his parents. S 46, this office. t62

100 PERSONS wanted at the Galt House, 408–410 Spruce st.; single beds, 15c; single rooms, 50c for two per night; shave, 5c; hair cut, 15c. s62

DRAWING for shops, or for patents; also, drawing and its application to the trades taught, night or day. Geo. Crebore, 314 Vine st. 62

MONEY to loan on guns and pistols from $1 to $10,000 at S. Van Raalte's loan office, 12 S. 4th st. 62

### SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE.

**Clerks and Saleswomen.**

WANTED—A young lady who can write a good, plain hand and has an idea of bookkeeping, would like to get a situation in an office. S 44, this office. t44

**Stenographers.**

WANTED—Lady stenographer and type-writer desires a position; satisfaction guaranteed. Inquire at Remington Type-writer Agency, 308 N. 6th st. t45

WANTED—A young lady wants a situation as stenographer, typewriter and telegrapher, or stenographer and typewriter alone; willing to work for small salary in the beginning. Ad. F 45, this office. w45

**Dressmakers and Seamstresses.**

WANTED—Situation to do plain sewing by a young lady. Address Seamstress, 719 Mound st. w46

**Housekeepers.**

WANTED—Situation as housekeeper by a reliable woman. Call at Dr. Davison's, Goodfellow and Easton avs. t47

WANTED—A situation as housekeeper for widower or bachelor by middle-aged woman. 1806 Olive st.

A YOUNG widow wants a situation as housekeeper; city or country. Call at 902 Locust st. w47

WANTED—A situation as housekeeper; no objection to one or two children. Ad. R 44, this office. t47

WANTED—By a person of long experience, a position as matron, housekeeper or companion in a school, hotel or private family. Ad. G 46, this office. a47

**General Housework.**

WANTED—Situation by a woman to do house or dining-room work. Ad. D 41, this office. t48

WANTED—A situation to do housework or general housework. Call at 1218 N. 16th st. t48

WANTED—A young girl wishes a situation to do housework or general housework in a small family. Call at 2737½ Chouteau av. t48

WANTED—A German girl wishes a situation for general housework in a small family. Ad. 2540 Dodier st. t48

WANTED—Situation by a girl in small family to do housework; no laundry work. Call at 1516 Chestnut st. t48

## STOVE REPAIRS!

For every stove or range made in the United States, to be had at A. G. Brauer's, 219 Locust st. 48

WANTED—Situation by good girl to do general housework. Call at 730 S. 7th st. t48

WANTED—Situation by a young woman to do general housework. Call s. e. cor. 14th and Biddle sts. w48

WANTED—Situation by a German girl to do general housework. Call at 1110 N. High st., old 13th st., in the rear, 2d floor. t48

WANTED—By a girl of 15, situation to do housework or take care of children. Call at 1305 N. 16th st. w48

WANTED—Situation by a middle-aged woman to do housework. Call at 1321 new N. 16th st. w48

## CHAMBER SETS.

Tin and china chamber sets. A nice assortment at prices that will suit you. 48 F. SIMONS, 2703 Cass avenue.

WANTED—By a girl of 16, a place to do light housework for her board, while attending school. Ad. M 44, this office. t48

WANTED—Situation by a young girl in a small family for general housework. Direct or address to 2006 Mulanphy st. t48

WANTED—Situation by a young girl to do housework in a small family. Call or address 1400 Biddle st., 2d floor. w48

WANTED—A young girl wants a situation to do general housework. Call or address 2218½ North Market st. w48

WANTED—By a girl, situation to do general housework in a small family. Apply at 1907 Market st.

A RESPECTABLE young girl wants a situation to do the work of a small family; no washing or ironing. Please call at 1211 N. 9th st., in rear. w48

WANTED—A situation by a middle aged woman for general housework for 3 in family. Apply at 1430½ Biddle st. w48

WANTED—Situation for housework. Apply at 2244 Dodier st. w48

WANTED—A girl wants a place to do housework or assist with general work. Call or address 1213 N. 21st st. w48

CLOTHES WRINGERS repaired cheap and warranted; send postal; will call at house. Burton, 2323 Franklin av. w48

**Cooks.**

WANTED—Situations by two respectable colored girls, one to cook and other for housework. Apply 1717 Orange st. t49

WANTED—Situation by a first-class cook and house girl. 1225 N. 12th st. t49

WANTED—A situation by a middle-aged woman as cook or nurse; no objection to go in the country; good ref. given. Call at 2608 Locust st. w49

WANTED—Situation by woman as good Cook and laundress. Mrs. Wallace, 336 S. 14th st. w49

A GOOD cook wishes a situation to assist in washing and ironing; best city references. Call at 923 N. 6th st. w49

**Nurses.**

WANTED—Situation as nurse. Call at 1407 N. 12th st. t50

WANTED—Situation as wet nurse. Call at 1407 N. 12th st. t50

WANTED—A girl wishes a situation as nurse. Ad. Rosa Miller, 317 Tyler st. t50

WANTED—Situation as wet nurse. Call or address 2022 N. 9th st., old number. w50

WANTED—A good buffer, one accustomed to fine work, such as fixtures; bring reference from last place. James D. Fay, 3428 Olive st. t50

WANTED—A place for a girl of 14 to nurse; is willing to assist in housework. Call at 2830½ Carr st., in the rear. w50

WANTED—An experienced nurse wishes a situation by day, week or month; best city references given. Call at 1218 N. 20th st. w50

**Laundresses.**

WANTED—Good laundress wishes to get washing to take home, or go out by the day. Apply 1717 Orange st. t51

WANTED—Situation by a German woman to go out washing Mondays and Tuesdays. Apply to 208 Olive st., room 17. t51

WANTED—Washing to take home every day. Mrs. Houseman, 2018 Kosciusko st. w51

WANTED—A first-class laundress wants washing to take home; will work reasonable; can give best ref. Apply rear of 2802 Franklin av., down stairs, alley. t51

**Miscellaneous.**

WANTED—A young girl wishes a position to learn press-feeding in printing office. Please address 1452 Montgomery. w52

A GIRL going to school would help all she could in a private family for a home; ref. if required. Ad. T 44, this office. w52

WANTED—Situation by two girls to do up-stairs work or light housework. 326 S. 14th st. w52

A WIDOW lady, a stranger in city, wishes a situation to keep furnished rooms or offices clean. Ad. 933 N. Broadway. w52

### SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE.

**Miscellaneous.**

WANTED—A man to sell toilet soaps. Apply 809 St. Charles st. t52

WANTED—Situation to make infants' clothes. Address 2128 Wash st. w52

WANTED—A situation by a middle-aged woman to go out to work by the week or day, can do all kinds of work. Address 1225 Cass av., bakery. w52

WANTED—A respectable young lady wishes a situation in a respectable private family to do up-stairs work. Ad. W 45, this office. w52

WANTED—Situation by an English girl as chamber maid in private family; best reference. O 43, this office. t52

WANTED—Woman wants work of any kind. Apply for Mary Mooney, between Easton av. and Dickson st., alley. t52

### HELP WANTED—FEMALE.

**General Housework.**

WANTED—A German girl for general housework at 1904 LaSalle st. w66

WANTED—A good girl to do general housework, also to assist in confectionery. S. w. corner 15th and Carr sts. t66

WANTED—Good girl for general housework. Call immediately at 3007 Cass av. Reference required.

WANTED—A good boy to help in grocery store and drive wagon. 3200 Chestnut st. t66

WANTED—A good German girl to do general house work. Call at 2711 Dickson st. t66

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework; small family; no children, Laclede av., 3d house west of Grand. t66

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework; good ref. 1808 Wash st. t66

WANTED—Good girl for general housework; four rooms and family of three. Apply at No. 3402 Washington av., Wednesday. w66

WANTED—Girl for general housework; small family; good wages. 1030 Leonard av. t66

WANTED—A good girl for general housework; a German or Swedish girl; family consists of two. 3121 Clark av. w66

**Laundresses.**

WANTED—A first-class laundress who can come well recommended. 1625 Chestnut st. t67

**Cooks.**

WANTED—Girl to cook, wash and iron in small family; must be a good cook, neat in appearance, with recommendations. 3029 Washington av. t68

WANTED—A good girl to cook and do general housework; please call at 3431 Manchester road. t68

WANTED—Good plain cook for boarding house; must be quick and smart; please call at once. 3167 Sheridan av. t68

**Dressmakers and Seamstresses.**

WANTED—First-class waist maker and skirt trimmer, one good button hole maker and three apprentices. Call before 10 a. m. or after 4 p. m. Wednesday, 2644 Olive st. t69

WANTED—Girls to learn dressmaking. 1021 Washington av. t69

**Nurses.**

WANTED—Nurse girl, German preferred, at 1629 Texas av., 2 blocks west of Lafayette Park. t70

**Miscellaneous.**

WANTED—A single woman; no objection to a child, to work in a lodging house. Call at Galt House, 410 Spruce st. t71

WANTED—Girl to do scrubbing and wash dishes. 16 S. 5th st. t71

WANTED—Ladies and young girls in city or country, to do entirely new kind of fancy work at home; work sent by mail; distance no objection; steady employment; good salary; no canvassing; no stamp required for reply. Ad. Empire Manufacturing Co., box 5,158 Boston, Mass. 71

WANTED—A few ladies to sell an article used by ladies; only married women or widow wanted; professional nurses preferred. Ad. by mail, Missouri Prop. and Pharmacy Co., 203 Pine st., city. s71

WANTED—Ladies or young men in the city or country wishing to earn $3 to $5 a day at their homes; no canvassing; work furnished and sent by mail any distance. For particulars address with stamp Crystallized Photo Co., 53 West 7th st., Cincinnati, Ohio. w71

WANTED—50 smart girls, not under 15 years of age; steady work all year. Apply at once at 502 N. 5th st. a71

### DRESSMAKING.

MME. DEMOREST'S RELIABLE PATTERNS—General Agency for the Western States—for Monitors of Fashions and Catalogues address Geo. A. Zeller, 18 S. 4th st., St. Louis. 72

WANTED—First-class dressmaker; will go in family; cutting and dressmaking a specialty. 311 N. 23d st.

MRS. M. A. DUDLEY, 2644 Olive st.; artistic dress making; evening dresses, street costumes, wedding and mourning outfits; special attention given to purchasing dress goods and trimmings; prices reduced. s72

### AGENTS WANTED.

WANTED—Lady agents can positively make $10 a day with my wonderful new rubber undergarment for females. Madam Little, Box 443, Chicago, Ill. 73

WANTED—Agents to collect small family pictures to be enlarged and painted by a new patent process to a beautiful oil potrait, at one-tenth the cost of old style paintings; samples free. Address for catalogues, Friedman & Co., Martinsburg, Mo. 73

WANTED—Men: Any man or woman making less than $40 per week should investigate our easy money-making business. We offer energetic persons the best chance on earth to make money. $4 samples free to those meaning business. An agent writes: "Your plan brings the money quickest of any I ever tried." Address with stamp for papers R. E. Merrill & Co., Chicago, Ill. 73

WANTED—Ladies or gentlemen to take light, pleasant work at their own homes (distance no objection.) Work sent by mail. $2 to $5 a day can be quietly made. No canvassing. Please address Globe Manufacturing Co., Boston, Mass., Box 5344. 73

### BOOKS.

WANTED—10,000 stand books, new and old, law and med.; cat. free. Dan Linahan, 4th and Wash'ton av.

DO not forget that all kinds of new books are sold at half price at Archer's, 515 Pine st.

### BOARD WANTED.

WANTED—An experienced teacher will give daily instruction for her board. J 40, this office. w19

WANTED—To sell furniture, stoves and carpets at the lowest cash price on easy payments. Geo. W. Jones, 22 and 24 S. 14th st. 19

### BOARD AND LODGING WANTED.

FOR RENT—Two rooms, single or en suite, unfurnished or partly furnished; no other roomers; desirable location; Olive, between 27th and 29th. Address M 46, this office. t20

A COUPLE without children desire 1 or 2 2d-story front rooms and bath, unfur., with board or convenient to good table board, with a refined family. P 46, this office. t20

WANTED—By young gent; single; furnished room with board. Address stating terms, etc., B 46, this office. t20

WANTED—By gent, board and room in nice private family, with home comforts, where there are few or no other boarders; state terms and location. Ad. A 45, this office. t20

WANTED—By a gentleman, a nicely furnished room, with breakfast and supper, in a Catholic family, southern part of the city preferred; reference exchanged. Ad. P 41, this office. t20

WANTED—By young gentleman, furnished room; please state terms and all particulars at once. Ad. S 43, this office. t20

MONEY to loan on jewelry from $1 to $10,000, at S. Van Raalte's loan office, 12 S. 4th st. 20

### HOUSES, ROOMS, ETC., WANTED.

WANTED—A furnished room for transient use; in western part of city preferred. Ad. R 43, this office. t21

WANTED—By three gents, one elegantly furnished front room in central part of city. Ad. Louis Idler, southeast corner 9th and Cass av. t21

WANTED—Immediately, a furnished or unfurnished room in good locality; no reference. Ad. O 46, this office. t21

WANTED—Three or four rooms for light housekeeping; best of references given. Add. N 44, this office. t21

WANTED—Three rooms in private family, between Market st. and Chouteau av., 20th and Jefferson av.; reference exchanged. Address W 44, this office. s21

WANTED—Gent wants furnished room with widow lady and family. Ad. W 43, this office. t21

WANTED—To sell stoves, carpets and furniture on easy time payments, 10 per cent cheaper than the cheapest. Geo. W. Jones, 22 and 24 S. 14th st. 21

### REAL ESTATE WANTED.

WANTED—Small brick house, cheap, for cash; central location. D 45, this office. w22

WANTED—To buy a small house, with or without stable; give price wanted and street number. Ad. J 45, this office. w22

WANTED—To buy a small house and lot near street cars; will pay $25 per month, interest included; state full particulars. Ad. R. A. Magann, Post Office. t22

### REMOVALS.

**Nose and Throat.**

CATARRH Permanently cured by a new method of treatment, which eradicates the cause from the system. Best of references and testimonials. Consultation and examination without charge. Dr. W. H. Robb, 1828 Pine st., cor. 14th. 35

### PERSONAL.

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PERSONAL—Em.: Am sorry you are having trouble; you have been deceived; am anxious to see you and explain matters; meet me at the old place on 6th st. Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. Jack. t1

PERSONAL—W. 34: Letter in this office for you. t1

PERSONAL—Wanted, by a young man of 24, the acquaintance of a good-looking girl not over 20 years; object, social amusements and perhaps matrimony; no triflers need answer. Ad. G 45, this office. t1

PERSONAL—A young man from the country wishes the acquaintance of a young lady; object, amusement; will be in city 2 weeks. Ad. C 46, this office. t1

PERSONAL—If tall young lady, with brown hat and gray cloak, that noticed gent in Chouteau avenue cars Friday evening and afterwards got off at Eighth street, would like to make his acquaintance, she can do so by addressing C 42, this office. t1

PERSONAL—A quiet young gent with good habits would like to get acquainted with a young lady; must be very discreet; object social amusement. Please address N 45, this office. t1

PERSONAL—Lady in Cass av. car Monday night who got off at Standard Theater, and later got on same car at Franklin av. and got off at 18th st; gentleman sitting opposite would like to form your acquaintance. Ad. P 45, this office. t1

PERSONAL—A young man (Jewish) of 21, artist by trade, would like the acquaintance of a Jewish lady bet. 18 and 24; object, social amusement. Ad. L 42, this office. t1

PERSONAL—As suggested, P., can't get off this week; can't you for a little while some evening? I want to see you. t1

PERSONAL—Two gents would like the acquaintance of two young ladies; object fun and social amusement. Ad. K 45, this office. a1

PERSONAL—Dunlap: If you do not see me to-day, I will be at home the 27th and 28th, and will explain. Belle.

PERSONAL—Will the lady that had engagement to meet gentleman promptly at 11 o'clock last Saturday on 5th st., make the same engagement, and keep it, for next Saturday? Gentleman is sincere in his desire to meet you. L 46, this office. f1

PERSONAL—Divorces legally obtained; advice free. Ad. P. O. Box 423, St. Louis, Mo. 1

### WANTED—TO EXCHANGE.

WANTED—Horse, wagon and team for new gold stem-winder and lady's diamond and pearl ring. Mr. Comley, 3670 N. Grand av. t24

### MISCELLANEOUS WANTS.

WANTED—A second-hand type writer in good condition; state style and price. R 46, this office. a26

WANTED—A back geared screw cutting foot lathe; state price. Ad. K 46, this office. a26

WANTED—Medium-sized platform scale; cheap for cash L 44, this office. t26

ALL wishing to build send 25 cents for "A Home for Everybody," containing 46 designs for city and country residences, schools and court houses, churches, stores, etc., published by J. B. Legg, architect, s. e. cor. Olive and 5th sts., St. Louis. 26

WANTED—Three young ladies and three gentlemen to engage with the Union Telegraph Co., and learn telegraphing on our lines; offices paying from $40 to $135 per month. Apply to superintendent's office, 102 N. 3d street; take elevator. s26

### STORAGE.

STORAGE—Cheapest, best, dryest and most convenient in the city for furniture, pianos, trunks, boxes, etc. An itemized warehouse receipt given; money advanced on same; packing and shipping household goods a specialty; moving done with care at low rates at our large fireproof warehouse. Wm. O. Langan & Co., 1003 and 1005 Morgan st. 82

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BEST storage for furniture; clean, dry and lowest rates. Broiaski & Voorhis, 111 N. 6th st. 84

### LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—A red Irish setter, nine months old; chain collar, license 148, and name "Steedman" stamped on plate. Deliver at 2808 Pine st. and receive reward. s30

LOST—February 23d, a ladies' silver open-faced watch, probably at Lafayette Park pond; reward given if returned to 942 Autumn street. t30

LOST—A gold locket, with two pictures in, on North Market from Broadway to 19 North Market and Monroe st.; reward given at 2413 N. Broadway. w30

LOST—Sunday evening on car 106, Olive and Channing avenue, small pocket book containing few articles of no value except to owner. Please return to 3833 Laclede av., and get reward. w30

### ALL SORTS.

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1517 MENARD ST.—Four-room flat; bath, gas and water. Inquire at 1214 Park av. w13

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2026 PINE ST.—2 unfur. rooms for light housekeeping; $15; also, 4 rooms. t13

2307 CHESTNUT ST.—Large, light and airy back parlor, fur. or unfur.; elegant neighborhood and location; fine table board next door; refs ex. 13

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2730 SHERIDAN AV.—3 fur. rooms for rent; gas, bath, and water and all modern conveniences; terms moderate. w13

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FOR RENT—A nicely fur. room to quiet lady. H 44, this office. w13

WANTED—Lady wants a reliable, agreeable lady room-mate; desirable room, good board, very reasonable; refs. Ad. M 37 this office. m13

FOR RENT—I have a nicely furnished front room to rent to a quiet couple. Ad. H 46, this office. t13

FOR RENT—2 partly fur. rooms for light housekeeping; state price. J 46, this office. t13

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms on first or second floors, 1618 Pine st. t13

MONEY to loan on trunks and valises from $1 to $10,000, at S. Van Raalte's loan office, 12 S. 4th st. 13

### FOR RENT—DWELLINGS.

2617 CHESTNUT ST.—Ten rooms, hall, closets pantry, hot and cold water, in complete order. Ap. 2613 Chestnut st. Possession March 1. w14

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### FARMS FOR RENT.

WANTED—To Rent—Farm from 10 to 40 acres; must have house and water and be close to city limits. Ad. Jas. Tellow, 2827 Laclede av. t80

### TRUSTEE'S SALES.

DEFAULT having been made in the payment of some of the notes secured by deed of trust of James Scott and Clara Scott, his wife, dated the 10th day of October, 1883, and recorded in the office of the Recorder of Deeds for the City of St. Louis, State of Missouri, in book 738, page 471, in pursuance of the power thereby vested in me, and at the request of the legal holder of said notes, I will, on Saturday, the 7th day of March, 1885, between the hours of 11 o'clock a. m. and 3 o'clock p. m. of that day, at the east front door of the Court House in the City of St. Louis, State of Missouri, sell to the highest bidder, for cash, the following described real estate situated in the City of St. Louis and State of Missouri, to wit: Lots Nos. 31 and 32 of block No. 2,966 of said City of St. Louis, having an aggregate front of 54 feet 11¼ inches on the west line of Seventh street, and running westwardly 128 feet 8 inches to the east line of an alley, on which said lots have a width of 38 feet 11¼ inches. MICHAEL HAMMEL, Trustee.

TRUSTEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE—Whereas Sarah B. Logan (a widow), by her certain deed of trust, dated the 17th day of January, 1874, and recorded in the office of the Recorder of Deeds for the then County, now City of St. Louis, State of Missouri, in book 487, page 487, conveyed to the undersigned and Frederick Hill as trustees, the following described real estate, situated in the County (now City) of St. Louis and State of Missouri, to-wit:

First: Lots numbered 117 and 118 in John C. Ivory's subdivision of block number 71 of survey number three of the commons of Carondelet, north of the River des Peres, and in block number 3217 of the City of St. Louis, said lots having an aggregate front of fifty feet on the western line of the new County road (now Ivory Avenue) as designated in the plat of said subdivision and with that width running westwardly for depth to the eastern line of the old County Road, as shown on said plat.

Second: Lots numbered five and six in said Ivory's subdivision of block No. 80 of said survey, No. 3 of said commons and in block No. 3251 of the City of St. Louis, said lots having an aggregate front of fifty feet on the eastern line of Main street (now Broadway) by a depth with the same width of 138 feet 3 inches to an alley, which conveyance so made to the undersigned, and Frederick Hill was made in trust to secure the payment of certain promissory notes therein described, and whereas the principal note in said deed of trust described has matured and remains unpaid, and said Frederick Hill has not accepted said trust and refuses to act as co-trustee in executing said trust. Now, therefore, at the request of the legal holder of said note, public notice is hereby given that the undersigned sole acting trustee named in said deed of trust, will, at public vendue, to the highest bidder, for cash, at the east front door of the Court House, in the City of St. Louis, State of Missouri, between the hours of 10 a. m., and 5 p. m., on

THURSDAY, THE 12TH DAY OF MARCH, 1885,

sell the real estate so conveyed to satisfy said note and the costs of this trust. MICHAEL HAMMEL, Trustee.

TRUSTEES SALE OF REAL ESTATE—Whereas Gustave Wendlandt (single) by his certain deed of trust dated the 16th day of September, 1873, and recorded in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for the then County now City of St. Louis, State of Missouri, in book 484 page 162, did convey to the undersigned and Frederick Hill as trustees, the following described real estate situated in the County of St. Louis (now City of St. Louis) State of Missouri to wit: Lot number nine (9) of the subdivision of the northern half of block number sixty-seven in Eiler's survey of the former City of Carondelet, now known as block No. 3056 of the City of St. Louis, said lot No. 9 contains a front of 25 feet on the west line of Second street, (now Pennsylvania avenue) and running westwardly of equal width, 137 feet and 6 inches in depth to an alley, bounded north by lot No. 8 owned or claimed by A. Rutherford, south by lot No. 10 owned or claimed by Charles E. Illsley, east by Second street (now Pennsylvania avenue) and west by an alley, being the same lot of ground which said Gustave Wendlandt acquired of Th. M. Taylor and wife by deed dated the 2d day of May, 1870, and recorded in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for the then County, (now City of St. Louis) and State of Missouri, in book 397, page 83, which conveyance so made to the undersigned and said Frederick Hill, was made in trust to secure the payment of certain notes therein described; and whereas, the principal note in said deed of trust described has matured and remains unpaid, and said Frederick Hill has not accepted said trust and refuses to act as co-trustee in executing said trust: now therefore, at the request of the legal holder of said note, public notice is hereby given that the undersigned sole acting trustee named in said deed of trust will at the east front door of the Court House, in the City of St. Louis and State of Missouri, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 5 o'clock p. m., on

FRIDAY, THE 13TH DAY OF MARCH, 1885,

Sell to the highest bidder for cash the real estate so conveyed to satisfy said note and the costs of this trust. FRANK J. KARLESKIND, Trustee.

TRUSTEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE—Whereas, by deed of trust dated fifteenth day of January, 1884, and recorded in the Recorder's Office of the City of St. Louis, in book 718, page 38, Jacob Seifried and Margaret Seifried, his wife, conveyed to the undersigned trustee, the following described real estate, to-wit: Lots numbers twenty-three (23), twenty-four (24), twenty-five (25), twenty-six (26), twenty-seven (27) and twenty-eight (28), all in block seven (7) of Toney's addition to St. Louis, and city block 1263, said lots having an aggregate front of one hundred and fifty (150) feet on the north line of Hickory street, formerly Elizabeth street, by a depth northwardly between parallel lines of one hundred and twenty (120) feet to an alley, and are together bounded on the north by said alley, east by lot twenty-nine (29) of said block, south by Hickory street, and west by lot twenty-two (22) of said block, together with all the buildings and improvements thereon, and, whereas, one of the interest notes is long past due and unpaid: now, at the request of the legal holder of said note, I will, on TUESDAY, THE 10TH DAY OF MARCH, 1885, sell the above described property, at public auction, at the east front door of the Court House, for cash, for the purposes of said deed of trust. JOHN LADY, Trustee.

## ST. LOUIS CITY.

### Proposals for Gold and Sterling Renewal Bonds.

MAYOR'S OFFICE, ST. LOUIS, February 11, 1885.

By virtue of Ordinance No. 31,061, authorizing the issue and sale of $700,000 in bonds of the City of St. Louis, to pay

$700,000 in bonds of the late County of St. Louis, for which the city is liable, matured February 1, 1885, sealed proposals for the purchase of six hundred and twenty thousand dollars ($620,000) in St. Louis City bonds, hereinafter described, or any portion thereof, will be received at the MAYOR'S OFFICE, in the city of St. Louis, until 12 o'clock noon of the 16th day of March, 1885, and publicly opened by the undersigned, at said place and hour.

The remaining $80,000, in bonds authorized, will be purchased and retired by the Sinking Fund at the highest price offered by other bidders, thus reducing the debt to that amount.

The awards will be subject to the approval of the Committee on Ways and Means of each branch of the Municipal Assembly. Said bonds will be dated February 2, 1885, and will each be of the denomination of $1,000 U. S. GOLD COIN, or 200 POUNDS STERLING, payable TWENTY (20) YEARS after their date, and redeemable at the option of the City at any time after ten years from their date, and will bear interest from their date at the rate of FOUR (4) PER CENT. per annum. Semi-annual interest coupons, payable in U. S. Gold Coin, or in pounds sterling on the second day of February and August respectively, will be attached to each bond, and both bonds and coupons will be payable to bearer, either at the National Bank of Commerce in New York, in U. S. Gold Coin, or at the office of J. S. Morgan & Co., London, England, in pounds sterling, at the option of the holder.

Bonds must be paid for in current funds and will be delivered at the office of the Comptroller of the City of St. Louis, on the 20th day of March, 1885.

Proposals must state the price offered in current funds, per bond, and must be accompanied by a deposit of cash, or certified check payable to the order of the Comptroller (and subject to his approval), equal in amount to five (5) per cent. of the amount in bonds bid for, as earnest money for the faithful compliance with the proposal; said deposit to be returned if proposal is not accepted, otherwise to be held subject to forfeiture to the City in event of failure on the part of the bidder to comply with his proposal, or in case of compliance to be retained as part of the purchase money.

All proposals must refer to this advertisement as a portion of the agreement on the part of the bidder, must be addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Proposals for purchase of St. Louis City Bonds."

The undersigned reserve the right to reject any and all proposals.

A sample bond can be seen and further information obtained at the office of the Comptroller of the City of St. Louis.

WM. L. EWING, Mayor,
E. L. ADREON, Comptroller.

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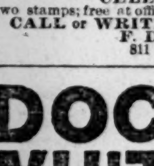

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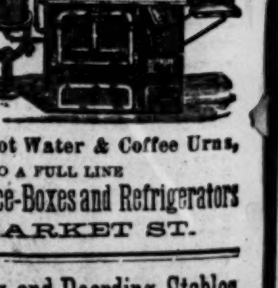

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## CATCHING AT STRAWS.

### A Clever Scheme of the Frelinghuysens to Retain Social Supremacy.

**Cleveland to be Lionized—Social Schemers Likely to be Disappointed—President Arthur's Rudeness to the Senate and House of Representatives Last Saturday.**

*By Telegraph to the Post-Dispatch.*

WASHINGTON, D. C., February 24.—The social powers connected with this administration give up their hold with the greatest reluctance. A number of them will do the best they can to capture Cleveland and bring him under the social influences that have so long controlled politics. In the society which has acknowledged Arthur as one of its leading members, there have been nearly as many Democrats as Republicans. The people who have been so successful with him hope to control Mr. Cleveland in the same way. The Frelinghuysens will not retire from Washington at once. They may remain here. It is their present intention to show the greatest kindness and courtesy to the incoming President. The Frelinghuysens are

PLANNING A GRAND RECEPTION

to be given within a day or two after the inauguration. The reception is to surpass anything they have yet given. It is ostensibly in honor of Arthur. Mr. Cleveland is to be invited, however, and is to pose as the lion of the evening in the house of the Frelinghuysens. Some of the Democrats who know Mr. Cleveland think he will not care to make his first appearance in Washington society under the auspices of the old Arthur crowd. Democrats do not regard the reception as at all in good taste. The Frelinghuysens should resign themselves to the inevitable, and not foolishly attempt to hang on to a position they cannot possibly hold after the fourth of March. In the first place, it is very improbable that Mr. Cleveland will accept their invitation. It is well enough for the President to give a dinner to his successor the night before inauguration, but I dare say that Mr. Cleveland would forgive him if he omitted that custom, as he will have a great many consultations with leading Democrats and plenty of business to transact that evening.

The President has been subjected to a great deal of criticism for his rude conduct last Saturday at the Capitol during the dedication ceremonies of the Washington Monument. The procession, made up of visitors from abroad and military representatives of the army and the militia companies of Washington, was kept waiting in the severe cold in front of the reviewing stand for over an hour. The Senate was kept waiting during the same time. In the House, the Speaker and his associates were also

KEPT WAITING FOR THE PRESIDENT.

It was only after the ceremonies were all over that it was learned that Mr. Arthur had stopped upon the Senate side and ordered a lunch. This he leisurely enjoyed with one or two friends during the long hour he kept thousands of people waiting his convenience. Not one of them had any opportunity for going to lunch, as he was expected every moment. If he had taken the trouble to send out notices that he was going to devote an hour to stuffing himself, then others might have availed themselves of the same opportunity. All the principal people connected with the affair went without eating from breakfast until 6 in the evening. None of them were disposed to be very patient when they learned of the President's disregard for their comfort. This incident, however, is only part and parcel of the rule of the Administration this winter. The President and his family appear to regard themselves as

ABOVE ALL OBLIGATIONS

to people with whom they have come in social contact. It was at one of the last card receptions of the President that he committed the unpardonable rudeness of taking out his watch continually during the last half hour of the reception in the face of guests who were being presented to him. This was regarded by those guests as a plain notification to them that the hour of feeding was approaching, and that when the Administration's stomach was empty every form of social duty must be dropped. Added to this rudeness, was the fact that he singled out perhaps a dozen of his guests and carried them off to supper almost in the face of his other invited guests. Those who were invited to stand and wait were driven out of the house in as direct a fashion as if they had been taken by the collar and requested to go.

Those who were invited to feed were ostentatiously selected by the Lord Chamberlain, McMichael, and gathered into a supercilious insolent group behind the President, who stood staring alternately with dead eyes at his guests, who were still coming before him, and then with the eyes of a gourmand, looking upon the face of his watch.

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### BY THE PISTOL ROUTE.

**Unfavorable Wheat Prospect—A Horse-Thief Caught—Illinois Items.**

SANDWICH, February 24.—Henry Dierst committed suicide by shooting. He leaves a family.

CHESTER, February 24.—The prospects of the wheat crop in this section are pronounced unfavorable. A new disease among hogs, called by the farmers winter-fever, has been destructive in this locality during the winter.

MCLEANSBORO, February 24.—Henry Digby has been acquitted of the murder of John Sinclair.

QUINCY, February 24.—Philip Hye, a noted crook, was arrested yesterday for horse stealing.

MATTOON, February 24.—Mrs. Clara Armstrong has been arrested for arson.

HILLSBORO, February 24.—Miss Emma Bond has recovered her sense of tasting and smelling. There are now slight hopes of her recovery.

CHICAGO, February 24.—The Damrosch Opera Company received an ovation at the Opera House last night.

GALENA, February 24.—Grain houses in this city are full to overflowing, and it is impossible to secure cars for shipping. The great bulk of oats which was formerly shipped to St. Louis now goes to New Orleans.

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### THE INAUGURATION.

**A Great Scramble to See the Procession and Pyrotechnics.**

*By Telegraph to the Post-Dispatch.*

WASHINGTON, D. C., February 24.—There is quite a scramble to see the procession on the 4th of March. It is estimated that there will be 30,000 men in line, and of course it is to be a scene witnessed only once in four years. Every reservation along the avenue is filled with seats, for which one or two dollars is asked, according to location and whether or not they are reserved. At other places along the line of march seats have been provided by kind-hearted speculators at high rates, some of them quite elaborate in construction, with a roof to protect the occupants in case of a storm, and a good many comforts. All along the avenue one may see in the windows, "This window for rent for the Inaugural procession." In the daily papers there are advertisements of windows from which to view the procession and others from which one may see the fireworks, which are to be very elaborate. Prices run all the way from $6 or $8 up to $25 and $30 for windows. If one thinks to play smart and rent the room in question for a month, the proprietor generally heads him off by saying that he can have it after March 4, but not before.

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### Testing a Liquor Law.

CHICAGO, ILL., February 24.—A test case of importance, involving the legality of the Iowa liquor law, was brought in the United States Court by a firm of brewers at Marshalltown, Iowa, against the Northwestern Railway Company. The claim is made that the clause in the Iowa law which prohibits railways from transporting liquor except to certain persons holding certificates, is in violation of the Federal Constitution, which vests in Congress the power to regulate commerce in the several States.

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### A JOURNALIST'S DETECTIVE WORK.

**How a Pair of Philadelphia Murderers Were Discovered.**

*By Telegraph to the Post-Dispatch.*

PHILADELPHIA, February 24.—After the manner of Journalist Balch of Boston, through whose shrewd detective work Chastine Cox, the murderer, was brought to justice, Vincent C. Cooke, city editor of the Evening News of this city, appears in the role of criminal informant, and upon his affidavit Frederick Rausch and Mary, his wife, were arrested yesterday and arraigned before Justice Lennon, on the charge of having murdered William C. Martin, a member of the firm of R. Martin & Sons, real estate agents, whose office was at No. 323 S. Fifth street. The principal evidence against the accused is in the shape of an affidavit made by Sebastian and Katherine Scheidt, in which they assert that Mrs. Rausch confessed to them that she and her husband had been guilty of three murders, one of them being the killing of Mr. Martin by choking him senseless in his office, and finishing the terrible crime with a hatchet. Scheidt alleges that it is only through fear of Rausch that he did not make the confession sooner. The arrest

CAUSED A SENSATION,

as several years have elapsed since the mysterious murder of Mr. Martin, and all hope of discovering the perpetrators had been abandoned. The tragedy occurred on April 5, 1879. Mr. Martin was alone in his office. The curtains were raised, and the interior was plainly visible from the street. At 3 o'clock he was seen seated at his desk near the front window. An hour later, when the family returned from a funeral, they found the door locked. An entrance was effected, and Mr. Martin was found seated in a revolving chair, bleeding from several ghastly wounds and unconscious. A trail of blood led to the rear. The desks had been forced open, and a small sum of money taken, but Mr. Martin's gold watch and two diamond rings were found on his person and $1,000 was also untouched. Mr. Martin was removed to a hospital, where he recovered consciousness on the following Tuesday, but refused to answer any question as to his assailant, and died on April 12, without giving any clew to the murderer. A notorious character named Barton was arrested on suspicion, but was discharged. This was the only arrest made until Sunday night. A few days ago Scheidt volunteered his confession to the police, but they

REGARDED HIM AS A CRANK,

and declined to take any action. He was then taken in hand by City Editor Cooke, and the arrest of Mr. and Mrs. Rausch was made on his affidavit. When the prisoners were brought into court this morning Rausch gave his age as 48 years, a native of Germany, and his wife gave her age as 45, and nativity Irish. Their daughter Julia, a comely young woman, was present. Mrs. Rausch greeted her husband with a kiss. They both appeared nervous and evidently much frightened. They denied their guilt strenuously. Sebastian Scheidt testified as to the circumstances under which the confession was made. Mrs. Scheidt could not speak English, and as there was no interpreter present her testimony could not be received.

"What have you to say to this charge?" asked the Magistrate to Rausch.

"I have nothing to say," answered Rausch. "I never carried a revolver, and had nothing against any one. I was carried away from New York sick, and my wife sent me to the South for my health. From there I sent for my wife and family and came back when I was better to Philadelphia. Ever since I left Brooklyn, I never had a revolver."

He said he had been in the city about nine years. The hearing was adjourned till to-day, and the prisoners committed without bail.

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### BAFFLED JUNIORS.

**The Yale Freshman Class Throws its Flag to the Breeze.**

*By Telegraph to the Post-Dispatch.*

NEW HAVEN, CONN., February 24.—About 10 o'clock yesterday when a number of Yale juniors were going down town after their morning cocktail, they were maddened at the sight of a little blue flag flying high in the air in front of the City Hall. It bore the freshman class number, "87s," in large letters. Aided by firemen, the freshmen had hung their flag on a wire which runs from the battery-room to the top floor of the City Hall. Some of the maddened juniors rushed into the City Hall while others ran for boat-hooks and poles. When one party reached the door of the battery rooms they found a sturdy man having the appearance of a slugger on guard. All means of bribing were offered in the hope of gaining an entrance to the room, but the sentinel remained firm. Finding they could not bribe the guard, they appealed to Mayor Newcomb, but again met with failure. In the meantime the second party of juniors reached the City Hall and, armed with poles, crawled out on the gables at the risk of their lives, and tried to hook up the flag. A shivering crowd of freshmen anxiously watched the frantic juniors. The juniors reached the flag and with cheers of triumph hauled it toward them. But

THEIR TRIUMPH WAS SHORT-LIVED,

as one of the freshmen on guard in the battery-room grasped the flag as it floated in front of the window and pulled it away from the victorious juniors. The freshmen cheered with delight, while the juniors howled with rage. Shortly after, the freshmen scored another victory. Fire Marshal Kennedy decided to put out the American flag in honor of Washington's birthday, and when they went into the battery-room to do so they were followed by a crowd of juniors. The doors were slammed in their faces, and a few minutes after the stars and stripes were run out with the little blue flag with the "87s" hitched to it. Until late last night 500 men and boys jostled one another on the street. Crowds of students, juniors and freshmen would meet; a fight would ensue, and at the close hats and remnants of coats and shirts would be seen strewn about the streets. So fiercely did they fight, that a squad of police were obliged to disperse the crowd in order to prevent a riot. The freshmen's flag hung in the breeze until taken in at night by Fire Marshal Kennedy.

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### WONG FOO AND CHANG WOO.

**Two Chinamen Die at Bloomington, Ill., From Excessive Opium Smoking.**

*By Telegraph to the Post-Dispatch.*

BLOOMINGTON, ILL., February 24.—Two Chinamen, Wong Foo and Chang Woo Gong, were found dead this morning, having died from excessive opium smoking. Another is expected to die. Chang Woo Gong lately came here from St. Louis.

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## LAMAR'S JOURNEY.

### The Distinguished Mississippian Calls on Cleveland.

**A Long Conference—Carl Schurz at Albany—Affable but Not Communicative—Cabinet Speculation—Programme of Cleveland's Trip to Washington.**

*By Telegraph to the Post-Dispatch.*

ALBANY, N. Y., February 24.—Senator Lamar arrived here at 12:30 p. m. yesterday. His visit was rather unexpected. The special from Washington announcing that he had left the National Capital to visit the President-elect was the first intimation that his presence in Albany was requested, and that he would respond yesterday. There was no one at the depot to meet the probable Cabinet officer from Mississippi. He got off the train, carrying a small yellow grip sack, and wearing a black slouch hat. Emerging from the depot he handed his satchel to a runner for the Kenmore, was ushered into a sleigh, and at once driven to the hotel, where he registered. He is the first prominent Democratic leader who has visited Albany who has had the courage to write his signature on the hotel register. The Senator, upon being approached by your correspondent on the object of his visit, replied: "I cannot say anything concerning it, at least until I have seen Mr. Cleveland. I have no desire to be evasive, but I have nothing to say at present."

Senator Lamar made these remarks

IN A VERY AGREEABLE MANNER.

He then went to his room. After he dined he took a sleigh and was drive to the Willett Street Mansion, where he was welcomed by Mr. Cleveland. Senator Lamar had not returned to the Kenmore at midnight. He was at that hour still in consultation with the President-elect. The interview had lasted from 2:30 p. m. The Senator dined with Mr. Cleveland.

Mr. Carl Schurz was also here yesterday. He came on a morning train, and went direct to the Willett Street Mansion from the depot. Mr. Schurz had a two hours' interview with Mr. Cleveland, and returned to New York on an afternoon train, without registering at an hotel. He lunched at a restaurant. In conversation with your correspondent Mr. Schurz said that he

HAD A VERY PLEASANT TALK

with the President-elect.

"What was the nature of your conversation?" he was asked.

Mr. Schurz looked through his spectacles a few moments, as if he was thinking what answer he would make, and then replied:

"Oh, about matters in general; most of it of a confidential character."

"Were you summoned here or your presence request?" he was next asked.

Mr. Schurz did not answer the question directly, but said: "I came to see Mr. Cleveland and to have a talk with him before he departs for Washington."

"This is not the first time you have seen Mr. Cleveland?"

"No; I have met him several times. We have conversed together during the campaign and since the election." Mr. Schurz then said that he was more than ever impressed with the belief that Mr. Cleveland would make a good President, and that he would meet the expectations of those who supported him on the principles of reform and honest administration.

"Did Mr. Cleveland speak to you about the Cabinet?"

"He asked me my opinion of a number of gentlemen whose names have been prominently mentioned as probable appointments. I told him all about the gentlemen, so far as my knowledge and acquaintance of them went. Of course I do not think I am at liberty to mention the names of the gentlemen.

Mr. Schurz then took pains to say he was never an aspirant for a Cabinet position under Mr. Cleveland. He also said he had not visited Mr. Cleveland as the representative of the Independents, nor had he outlined to him any policy which the Independents might wish the new administration to adopt. He had, however, talked to Mr. Cleveland at length

ABOUT GOVERNMENT AFFAIRS

and administrative policy in general. In conclusion, Mr. Schurz emphatically stated that he had not spoken to Mr. Cleveland in behalf of any one for a Cabinet position. Mr. Schurz was present part of the time Senator Lamar was with Mr. Cleveland. He left the Senator at the Willett Street Mansion.

Mr. Manning spent a great part of yesterday at the Willett Street Mansion. He was present when Mr. Schurz and Senator Lamar were there, and had talks with both. Mr. Francis Lynde Stetson of New York, was here yesterday. It is said that Mr. Cleveland has taken quite a fancy to the young Democratic lawyer. He has for years been identified with the Young Men's Democratic Club and the Citizens' reform movements.

CABINET SPECULATIONS.

The Evening Journal said last evening: "Cabinet speculation takes no more definite drift to-day than it has for the last two days past. It still remains true that three members of the Cabinet will probably be chosen from the South, counting Senator Bayard as one, and that the remaining two will be chosen from Senators Garland, Lamar and Jackson. Rumor of late has removed the name of Gen. McClellan in connection with the Navy Department, but it is almost certain that this department will fall to Massachusetts, and that Congressman Patrick A. Collins or Mr John Quincy Adams will be chosen. The likelihood that New York will receive two portfolios has revived the talk of Mr. William C. Whitney in connection with a department. But Mr. Whitney's ambition, it is understood, does not lie in that direction. The official programme for Mr. Cleveland's departure and trip to Washington to be inaugurated is nearly completed. The plan is about as follows: He and Colonel Lamont, without being accompanied by a body-guard, or a coterie of courtiers, will quietly

LEAVE ALBANY ON TUESDAY MORNING,

March 3, but which route they will take is not now known. They will arrive in Washington in the evening, and will at once proceed to the Arlington. If he receives anybody after his arrival the callers will be limited to those whom he shall have made up his mind to place in the Cabinet. It is Mr Cleveland's desire to proceed to Washington in as quiet and unostentatious manner as is possible. He is opposed to a special train and receptions at every depot on the way.

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### He Thanks His Paper.

Mr. Editor:—I was induced by reading your good paper to try Dr. Harter's Iron Tonic for debility, liver disorder and scrofula, and three bottles have cured me. Accept my thanks. Jos. C. Boggs.—[Ex.

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### NELLIE KERR'S END.

**The Coroner Investigating a Case of Mysterious Death.**

An investigation was made to-day into the death of Nellie Kelly, alias Kerr, who was found dead in bed yesterday morning at 309 Spruce street. When the body was examined yesterday, a cut was discovered over the eye, with several bruises, raising the suspicion that death had resulted from violent treatment. The post-mortem examination was made by Dr. Nidelet, who reported as follows:

"Upon viewing the body I noticed it congested; also bruised surfaces upon the right arm midway between the armpit and the elbow, and at the elbow joint also upon the left arm four inches above the elbow, likewise upon both knees; also a wound over the right eye at the outer margin of the supra orbital plate, one inch in heighth and extending to the skull. On raising the scalp I found it humified and congested in the region of the wound. I found the brain congested, the heart fatty, the mitral valve thickened, with the right side attenuated. The liver was enlarged and fatty evidence of the use of stimulants. Cause of death, congestion of the brain."

A call was made by a reporter at 309 Spruce street, where the woman died. Lizzie Sheridan, who took charge of the deceased, said: "I think she died from drinking. I never heard that John Kelly, who is arrested, had beaten her. Sunday she was drunk, and in the evening, in the yard, she fell across the ash-box, and before she got into the house she slipped and her head struck a sharp piece of ice. This is how she cut herself over the eye." This statement was supported by Fannie Brown, who also lives at No. 309 Spruce street. At noon to-day an inquest was held on the body. John Kelly, who is under arrest, attended in custody of an officer.

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### High License and Hanging.

ST. PAUL, MINN., February 24.—The Legislature has adopted a high license liquor law, making $500 the figure. The Legislature has also adopted a new penalty code, similar to that of New York. The most important change from the old code is making hanging the penalty for murder in the first degree. Heretofore the passage of the death sentence was left to the option of the Court, but no judge ever exercised the privilege.

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### THE SLEIGH TIPPED OVER.

**Awkward Termination of Mr. Solomon's Ride This Morning.**

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

OFFICE MOUND CITY MUTUAL FIRE AND MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY, St. Louis, February 20, 1885.—The Board of Directors have ordered an assessment of 6 per cent on all premium notes given for policies, numbered up to and including No. 10,724, and payable at the office of the Company, 600 Olive street, on or before the 8th of April next.

C. H. ALEXANDER, Secretary.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.—A meeting of the stockholders of the St. Louis Car Wheel Company will be held, pursuant to the by-laws of said company, on Tuesday the third (3d) day of March, 1885, at 12 o'clock m., at its office, No. 207 N. Third street, in the city of St. Louis, Mo., for the purpose of electing five directors of said company for the ensuing year and to transact such other business as may come before said meeting.

J. I. WHITE, Secretary. J. H. BASS, President.

St. Louis, February 13, 1885.

SECRETARY'S OFFICE ODD FELLOWS' CEMETERY ASSOCIATION, SOUTH ST. LOUIS, February 21, 1885.—An annual election for thirteen directors of the above named association will be held at its office, southwest corner Broadway and Loughborough avenue, South St. Louis, Mo., on Monday, March 2, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 12 m. Also an annual meeting of all bond and lot owners will take place on said day at 7 p. m. to receive the report of the officers of the association for the past year.

FRANCIS POUPENEY, JR., Secretary.

V. B. S. REBER, President.

OFFICE of the St. Louis Union Stock Yard Co., Bremen avenue, east of Broadway, St. Louis, February 16, 1885.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the St. Louis Union Stock Yard Company will be held at this office, Monday, March 2, 1885, for the purpose of electing seven directors to serve the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may be presented. Polls open from 9 o'clock a. m. till 3 o'clock p. m.

JOHN A. SCUDDER, President.

W. A. RAMSAY, Secretary and Treasurer.

ENGINE FOR SALE.—Notice is hereby given that the undersigned will sell at public auction, for cash, one 2d-hand slide-valve engine, cylinder 18x24 inches, of the manufacture of Fullerton Foundry, at 298 S. Commercial st., St. Louis, at 12 o'clock m., Thursday, February 26, 1885, in accordance with the order of the Circuit Court.

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The St. Louis druggists, at a meeting held on the 12th of January, resolved to cut schedule prices on Patent Medicines so as to freeze out the original cutter, the Anti-Monopoly Drug Store. Notwithstanding their action, resolution and prices advertised, I shall continue in the future, as in the past, to sell Patent Medicines, Drugs, etc., from 10 to 20 per cent less than any other druggist in the city. Goods fresh and quantities unlimited. Orders for patent medicines at wholesale prices solicited from country druggists. Boxing and cartage free.

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## CITY NEWS.

The infant child of Gabriel Seeber, 1901 Park avenue, died last night without medical attendance. The Coroner has been notified.

Putnam Association, No. 17, National American Association, celebrated Washington's birthday at Liederkranz Hall last evening.

Wm. H. Blew was arrested by Officer Mike O'Malley yesterday for stealing a dolman from Penny & Gentles, on Sixth and Franklin avenue.

Fred Marinau, residing at the corner of Elliot and Gamble avenues, was thrown from his buggy about 8 o'clock last night while driving along Grand avenue and sustained serious injuries.

The St. Louis Woman Suffrage Association met last night at their hall on Lucas and Jefferson avenues. The programme was a musical and a literary one and proved very enjoyable.

Richard Grimes and Frank Schulz quarreled last night on Seventh and Christy avenue, the affair terminating in Schulz receiving a knife wound in his right side. The wound is not considered as dangerous.

Officer Monrotus discovered an infant about six weeks old on the doorstep of the boarding house, 2125 Pine street, last night, and took it to the Four Courts, from whence it was sent to St. Ann's Asylum.

Joseph Burns, a switchman in the employ of the Bridge and Tunnel Company, was run over at noon yesterday and seriously injured, while coupling cars on Twentieth and Randolph streets. He was taken to the City Hospital.

The semi-annual exhibition given by the students of the St. Louis University at their hall on Ninth and Washington avenue, last night, was well attended. Essays by James W. Byrnes, John H. Krechler, Harry Scullin, Joseph P. Lyman and John Warren; declamations by Edward Bergren, Harry Borgess and Vincent Ring; and some very pleasing musical diversions made up an interesting programme.

The entertainment given in honor of Washington's birthday by the Junior class of the Washington University at Memorial Hall, last night, proved a most enjoyable affair. Orations were delivered by Daniel Noyes Kirby, Henry Gniffer, Nathaniel Blackford and Martin Pierce. Miss Irene Dowler's dramatization of "Amy Robsart" was well presented by Miss E. H. Carr, Mr. A. W. Hodges, and N. S. Henry.

The police made several poker raids last night, the first being in a game at the St. James Hotel, the keepers of the game, John Cornelius and William Clark, being arrested and taken to the Four Courts. Eph Eddy's room, 621 Locust street, was also raided, the police confiscating the outfit and arresting the proprietor. A descent was also made on a game run by C. L. Goodlove, at the Hotel Barnum, and the proprietor was taken in.

As a rain drop foretells a storm so does a pimple upon the human body indicate a health-destroying virus in the blood, which can be neutralized and expelled only by Dr. Harter's Iron Tonic.

THE best wedding gift is an etching or engraving artistically framed at Redheffer & Koch, 1000 Olive street, the leading art dealers.

## TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

Russia is said to be thinking of annexing Afghanistan.

The Maryland Confederate line held its annual reunion at Baltimore.

The naval appropriation bill was passed by the House with several amendments.

Gen. Hatch has made preparations to meet any new invasion of the Oklahoma lands.

The heaviest snow-storm of the season is reported at Wichita, Kan. All trains are delayed.

Bill Rich, the accomplice of Milton, the murderer who was hanged at Corning, Ark., was captured.

Edward Vogely, a bookkeeper of the Butler, Pa., Savings Bank, is missing with $50,000 of the bank's money.

A $150,000 fund has been raised in Sydney, N. S. W., to aid in equipping an expedition to the Soudan.

An enormous meteor passed over Victoria, B. C., and fell into the sea. The natives were very much frightened.

The miners at Leavenworth, Kan., who are out on a strike, disclaim any intention to use violent means, but say they will hold out to the last.

The New York Board of Trade and Transportation held their annual banquet at the Hotel Brunswick, New York. Two hundred covers were laid.

The carpet weavers at Yonkers still hold out in their strike. The pickers have joined them to the number of 200. The owners say they will offer no compromise.

Mack Crook, James Yates and Newt Harris, ex-Sheriff and deputies, were arrested at Paris, Texas, for complicity in the murder of Sheriff James H. Black last fall. A man named Middleton, arrested in the Indian Territory, says he killed Black at the instigation of the above parties.

Immediately after being officially notified of the bungling attempts to execute John Lee, the convict, at Exeter, Sir Wm. Vernon Harcourt granted the doomed man a respite. It is probable that there will be a commutation of sentence to life imprisonment. The Home Secretary made a statement of the case in Parliament. In London legal circles the case is much discussed. It is claimed that the sentence cannot now be carried out, as the time appointed for Lee's execution has expired.

You can save money by reading the first page.

### Recalling Fighting Days.

The largest camp-fire of the season was held last night under the auspices of Frank P. Blair Post at Central Turner Hall. The large hall was handsomely arranged, and long rows of tables filled every part of it, making a real attractive appearance with their white cloths, tin plates, tin cups, wine full of vinegar, and saucers of sugar, pepper reference. The veterans were there in such great there was not a plate to spare, while a SITUATION—Good of excellent pork and beans was this office. than half an hour, under the direction WANTED—sober and ge sumed would fill a barrel. Voi- work about a ge furnished good music, and the 817 N. 7th st. T. U. Fletcher, Judge Daniel WANTED—Posit shine, or say N Noble, Maj. K. P. Weigel, Leo several years' experience it was a pleasant three hours this office. music, pork and beans WANTED—By a young time in a meat shop A carnival at box office of once. Ad. K 48, this office. WANTED—A position as and shoe house; six years' Ad. L 48, this office. WANTED—Young man retail grocery business. P stolen shawl at the WANTED—Situation in w terday to await a man of experience and re taken by mistake WANTED—Situation of any kind of bakery or waiting on table prefe- quently at South sayers, 1411 N. 8th st., rear. MONEY to loan on all perso $50,000, at S. Van Reader's

## THE CRIME OF POVERTY.

### Henry George's Lecture in Brooklyn Last Night.

**Present Distress of the Working Class and Depression of Industries—The Evils of the Existing Land System and the Remedy.**

*By Telegraph to the Post-Dispatch.*

NEW YORK, February 24.—In the Brooklyn Academy of Music last evening Mr. Henry George delivered a lecture on "The Crime of Poverty." He said that it was a common saying that poverty was no crime, but it was very inconvenient. That it was inconvenient was true, but he held it was something more than that. He held that poverty was a crime. It was from the poor that the criminal classes were recruited. He understood that there were six rich men in prison in New Jersey, but they were circulating petitions to get them out. To be sure, there was crime among the rich, but even these crimes sprung indirectly from poverty. But he meant that poverty is, in and of itself, a crime. Over the whole world poverty was the thing most dreaded. "We erect temples to the living God," he said, "but, after all, the deity that we most worship is the golden calf. The hell that we fear is

THE HELL OF POVERTY,

and the devil of want is more dreaded than any other. The worst poverty is that which jostles close to wealth. The poorest countries I was ever in were the west of Ireland and the Highlands of Scotland, and yet if I had to be poor I would rather be poor in those countries than in the midst of our large cities. Poverty ought to spring from idleness and the man who is industrious ought to be rich, and nothing more clearly shows the unnaturalness of the present social system than the fact that this is not so. At present, all over the world, the working classes mean the poor classes, and the most industrious men are not the rich. The whole question, whether or not poverty is a crime, turns upon the question whether it is or is not preventible. If poverty must be, then it is a crime, but if it is unnecessary then it must spring from man's injustice, and therefore must be a crime. There is no such poverty in nature as may be seen in our large cities. There is want in nature, but who ever saw a school of fish where a few were fat and the rest skin and bone? There never was such poverty as is seen to-day in the midst of the most lavish wealth. Poverty is unnatural and unnecessary. It is said that its cause is overproduction, but that is not it. It is unjust distribution, and it is no wonder that all over the world the forces are forming that will destroy society if this wrong be not remedied. The rich cannot shirk their duty to the poor by giving alms. They must do more than that.

THE POOR DON'T ASK ALMS.

They ask justice. Rich and poor alike must seek the cause of this trouble, and, having found the cause, they must apply the remedy. Is this state of things to-day, the institution that is most to be blamed is the Christian Church, which is manifestly shirking its duty. In the Christian pulpits, to-day, there is not a word said of men who have to spend night and day in the struggle for a living, and not a word is said as to the condition which makes this state of things necessary. Christianity means something more than mere self interest. It means the welfare of all, and what is best for all is best for each. The cause of the present system is that we are trampling on our fellows or being trampled on by them. As to the cause of poverty and its cure, would say that the cause is a general one, because all over the world I see the same phenomenon. The thing which all the world has in common is land, treated as private property, and this is the only cause of this phenomena. All human labor is nothing but the working up of materials, drawn from land, and where the land is owned by a few, there must be poverty among the many.

WE SAY THAT IT IS OVERPRODUCTION.

That is nonsense. The earth is the source of all human employment. Men are not employed simply for the reason that they are shut out from the land. Here is the explanation: If you look at it theoretically or practically, deductively or inductively, you must come to some conclusion. So long as land is owned by a few, the many will lack employment and their wages must be lowered. That is the reason why, in all countries, there is no pauper class and no trouble from the want of employment; that is the reason why wages are always higher than they are when population increases and land is fenced in. Look at the facts wherever you please, upon the other side of the Atlantic or on this. You may see the real cause for want of employment and the hard times. When men are driven off the soil, as in Ireland, Scotland and England, their producing power is destroyed. The demand they make for the labor of men of the cities ceases, and they are driven in to compete with them, and force wages to a lower level. You may see the same thing here. You may not see it in eviction, but may see it

IN THE SHUTTING DOWN OF MANUFACTURES.

I saw on the steamer I went over to England on, two gentlemen who each day had at their dinner a bottle of champagne, and I learned that they were two English gentlemen who had bought large tracts of land in Iowa and had farmed it out for half of the crop, and were going home to enjoy their revenues. Almost every English and Scottish nobleman now has his American estate. What does that mean? Simply when a man has to pay half of a crop in order to get employment, his wages have been reduced that much. What we are selling these Englishmen and Scotchmen is not land; they don't want land, but we are selling them the labor of American citizens. [Applause.] What they want is the power of living without labor, and it is not land we are selling them. It is land owned by a few that explains all the social problems of to-day. This is why it is that inventions do not increase wages. Labor-saving machinery ought to increase wages, but they do not, simply because of the land monopolists. When the few own the land, those who have no access to it are placed at a disadvantage, and are forced into

A COMPETITION WITH EACH OTHER,

and that keeps labor down to a mere subsistence. Suppose all labor were saved, and we could produce all the wealth that it is possible to produce. No imaginable discovery can enable man to produce wealth, until he can have land out of which to produce it. He must have land and not materials, and the inventions would simply give to the owners of the land all the wealth, and there would be no use for anybody else, save as paupers on their bounty. It is not in the power of the Almighty to prevent poverty under the present land system. And even were he to increase his bounty, what would be the result? Simply that the value of land would increase. Thus, I say, that poverty is crime, and that it springs from a denial of the primary rights of man, a denial of the birthright of children, who are coming into the world. The rights to the land are equal. We are all here by the same right. If we have an equal right to live, then necessarily we must have an equal right to the element which is necessary to support life—equal right to land. Private property to land is simply appropriation; there is nothing else. The right to property that is truly property, is clear; it belongs to the man that produced it or purchased it from the producer, and it is

TRULY A SACRED RIGHT,

because the very foundations of social order depend upon it. But who can assert that right to land. Land was here before man was. Why, think of our land titles. Thomas Jefferson [applause], who, in that great Declaration of Independence, asserted the equal and inalienable rights of man, in another utterance, not so well known, lays down the proposition that the earth belongs to the living—that the dead have no claim to it; but where do our land titles come from? Merely from dead men. But, it will be said, you can not divide up land equally. In a primitive state of society you might, but you can not now, that population has increased, it is impracticable, but it is not impracticable to divide up the rent, and this has to be done and ought to be done. The value of the land arises from the growth of the community. Every one who comes here adds to the value of the land. It is something the whole community produces, and therefore

SHOULD BELONG TO THE WHOLE COMMUNITY.

Let us shift the taxes which now bear upon enterprise, and put it on the value of land, and we may tax the value of land all we please, there will not be less, and it will not be a whit more useful. The result would give an enormous and constantly increasing fund for public use. By taking the revenue coming from land and not from the improvements upon it, charging the man who has put a fine house on his no more than if the lot was vacant, and the result would be not only enough for the expenses of the Government, but leave a large surplus."

In conclusion, Mr. George said that he saw indications of the approaching revolution that would bring about this state of things. It would begin in Europe, but would speedily spread to this country, and would here make more rapid progress.

"The redemption," said he, in conclusion, "is near, and the carrying it out is a mere matter of detail. I believe that the struggle which is to end in the triumph is now already begun."

### REMARKABLE EVENTS.

**Some Facts Which are Astonishing to the People of St. Louis.**

The people of St. Louis and of the Mississippi Valley are rapidly being convinced of one thing, that never in the history of the jewelry trade of this country have such extensive and considerable reductions been made on first-class elegant goods as have been made by the Mermod & Jaccard Jewelry Company, at Fourth and Locust, on their magnificent stock, amounting in value to nearly $1,000,000. The store has been crowded daily with purchasers, delighted with the astonishingly low prices and eager to obtain the unprecedentedly fine bargains offered. To convince any one of the extent of the reductions and of the amount of labor involved it is only necessary to state that over 15,000 articles have been marked down in sums varying from a few dollars to a thousand, and the work is not nearly completed, but must be carried on while hundreds of purchasers require waiting on. The reductions themselves on a stock of this enormous proportion, embracing the finest qualities of watches, clocks, diamonds, bronzes, jewelry, vases, silk umbrellas, lamps, solid silver and silver-plated wares, music boxes, albums, brass goods, fine potteries and other pleasurable wares, and the success of the great sale are the most remarkable and unparalleled events ever known in St. Louis. They do not occur once in many years and those who fail to attend the great sale will miss the grandest opportunity to purchase exquisite goods at incredibly low prices ever given. The best advertisement and endorsement of the fact, that the reductions are real and are not shams, lies in the verdict of those who have visited the establishment and have obtained the bargains to be had. The universal consensus is that a sacrifice sale of equal proportions has never been seen in this city.

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### Burning of a Schooner.

BALTIMORE, MD., February 24.—A special from Ocean City says: "The schooner F. J. Collins, from Galveston for Boston, with cotton and iron, is reported on fire and abandoned off Ocean City, entirely destroyed. The crew landed safely. The value of the vessel and cargo is $70,000; fully insured.

LADIES, read Nugent's ad on first page.

## DIED.

*Marriage and death notices will be inserted at the rate of twenty-five cents for three lines.*

JUENGELING—February 23, 1885, FRANCIS RUDOLPH JUENGELING, only son of F. W. R. Juengeling and Anna D. Juengeling, nee Weyrich, aged 2 years and 10 days. Funeral from residence 3136 Easton avenue, Wednesday, February 25, at 1 o'clock. New Orleans papers please copy.

MCDONALD—At 6 p. m., February 23, CHARLES EDWARD, infant son of Charles and Margaret McDonald, aged 14 months and 6 days. Funeral from residence, 1845 Division street, Wednesday, February 25, at 1 p. m. Friends and relatives respectfully invited to attend.

WOHLFARTH—Monday morning, February 23, after a long and lingering illness, SEBASTIAN WOHLFARTH, aged 51 years. Funeral will take place from residence, 738 S. Seventh street, Wednesday at 2 p. m. Friends and relatives are invited to attend. Deceased was a member of the Masons, Druids, Harrugari and Turner societies.

HOFFMAN—Died at Kirkwood, Mo., February 24, 1885, ELIZABETH, wife of John Hoffman. Fuoeral services at residence, February 25, at 10, a. m. Carriages in waiting at Union Depot at 12:30 p. m. Interment at Bellefontaine Cemetery.

FALVEY—February 23, at 6 p.m., BEATRICE, only daughter of Michael J. and Maggie Falvey. Funeral February 25, at 2 p. m.; from residence, 213 Mullanphy street.

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To-night, To-Morrow Night and Saturday Matinee
MUSETTE.
Thursday, Friday and Saturday Evenings,
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Monday, March 2: RISTORI.

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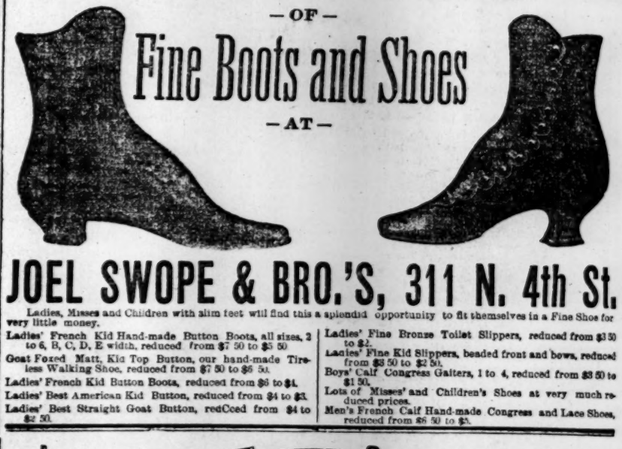


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